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THE PRESIDENTIAL OUTLOOK.

Philadelphia Press.

The Presidential tickets are named. The lines of battle are drawn. What is the outlook? It is too early to measure all the influence and effects, but a preliminary survey can be made. If we cannot yet tell the final alignment of all the States we can see where the contest is likely to be fought and form an intelligent judgment of the respective chances.

The electorial college now consists of 476 votes, and it takes 239 to elect. The Democratic party, or Parker and Davis, start confessedly with the solid South which has 151 votes, as follows:—

THE DEMOCRATIC STATES.

Alabama	11	Missiouri	18
Arkansas	9	North Carolina	12
Florida	5	South Carolina	9
Georgia	13	Tennessee	12
Kentucky	13	Texas	18
Louisiana	9	Virginia	12
Mississippi	10		
Total			151

This is eighty-eight votes short of the number necessary to elect. Where are Parker and Davis to secure the 88? They must come from the doubtful States. Let us be liberal in making up the doubtful list. Put New York at the head. Concede Maryland, and include even West Virginia, as the home of ex Senator Davis, though there is every reason to believe West Virginia will go Republican as she has done for twelve years. Count in Wisconsin on account of the Republican factional quarrel, through Wisconsin is overwhelmingly Republican on the Presidency. Allow Colorado, Idaho, Montana and Nevada, though two of these States are morally certain to be Republican and probably all. Here, then, is the doubtful list:—

THE DOUBTFUL STATES.

Colorado	5	New York	39
Idaho	3	Nevada	3
Maryland	8	West Virginia	7
Montana	3	Wisconsin	13
Total			81

Here are but 81 votes altogether, when Parker and Davis must have 88 besides the solid South to be elected. They must therefore, in order to win, carry all of the doubtful States and gain 7 votes more from what may fairly be called the sure Republican States, as follows:—

THE REPUBLICAN STATES.

California	10	New Hampshire	4
Connecticut	7	New Jersey	12
Delaware	3	North Dakota	4
Illinois	27	Ohio	23
Indiana	15	Oregon	4
Iowa	13	Pennsylvania	34
Kansas	10	Rhode Island	4
Maine	6	South Dakota	4
Massachusetts	16	Utah	3
Michigan	14	Vermont	4
Minnesota	11	Washington	5
Nebraska	8	Wyoming	3
Total			244

This shows 5 votes more than enough to elect Roosevelt and Fairbanks, without allowing a single vote from what have been called the doubtful States. If Parker should carry all the doubtful States he would be 7 votes short. If Roosevevelt should carry all the doubtful States he would have 325 votes or 86 more than enough.

In order to hold out some hope the Democrats claim New Jersey and Connecticut. Their is no ground for claiming either. New Jersey has now for many years been steadily Republican. In 1900 she gave McKinley 56,000 majority, and in an off year she elected Murphy Governor by 17,133. Connecticut is equally steadfast. She gave McKinley 28,570 majority and in 1902 elected a Republican Governor by 16,008. There is no reasonable prospect that either New Jersey or Connecticut will pass out of the Republican column.

But, in order to pursue the matter in the last analysis, suppose that New Jersey should go Democratic. That would give Parker, with all the doubtful States, only 5 excess, and if West Virginia alone should remain Republican, or Idaho and Montana alone, his majority would be lost. Suppose that New Jersey and Connecticut should both go Democratic. That would give Parker only 12 exeess, and if Wisconsin alone of the so called doubtful States Should remain Republican, that would wipe out his majority. So would West Virginia, Idaho and Montana together. So would the Rocky Mountain States alone without either West Virginia or Wisconsin.

In all this calculation New York has been treated as doubtful with Democratic chances. This has been done to be on the safe side. But there is more reason to count New York as Republican. Without New York there is no possible combination that can spell Democratic success. Even with New York all the other doubtful States and one or more morally sure Republican States must be carried to elect Parker.

To put it in another way, and at the worst, conceding that New Jersey and Connecticut are doubtful as well as New York—and we do not concede it—the Republicans would have only 14 votes to gain while the Democrats would have 88 votes to gain. The chances would thus be decisively on the Republican side.

REDUCED RATES TO THE SEASHORE.

ANNUAL LOW RATE EXCURSION TO ATLANTIC CITY, CAPE MAY, ETC., VIA PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

Pennsylvania Railroad low-rate fifteen day excursions for the present season from Erie, Rouseville, Corry, Dunkirk, Buffalo, Olean, Rochester, Bradford, Tionesta, Warren, Clermont, DuBois, and principal intermediate stations to Renovo, inclusive, to Atlantic City, Cape May, Sea Isle City, or Ocean City, N. J., will be run on July 18, August 1, 15 and 25.

Excursion tickets, good to return by regular trains within fifteen days, will be sold at very low rates. Tickets to Atlantic City will be sold via the Delaware River Bridge Route, the only all-rail line, or via Market Street Wharf, Philadelphia. Tickets from Erie, Rouseville, Tionesta, Summerdale, Ludlow, and intermediate stations will be good going only on train No. 4, leaving Erie at 5.35 p. m., and connecting trains therewith. Tickets from other points good going on all regular trains.

On July 18, train leaving Buffalo at 9.00 a. m., will be run through to Atlantic City.

Stop over can be had at Philadelphia either going or returning.

For information in regard to specific rates and time of trains consult hand bills, apply to ticket agents, E. S. Harrar, Division Ticket Agent, Williamsport, Pa., or B. P. Fraser, Passenger Agent, Buffalo Division, 307 Main Street, Ellicott Square, Buffalo, N. Y. 3192-21-2t.

WEATHER REPORT.
(Forecast by T. B. Lloyd.)

FRIDAY, Fair.
SATURDAY, Fair.
SUNDAY Fair.

Hickory Hemlock.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Weber and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Walker sends the PRESS editor a very unique card, printed on wood, from St. Louis. This is how and what they say:

All a-board for the World's Fair. Arrived safe. Exposition is more than oak-a, it is ash-tonishing; you cedar sights of your life. The Pike is fir-straight more than a pear of peaches and the spielers don't bark like a tree. Board and (s)lumber at popular prices, no need to pine for what you plank down. Birch-ance the last great show for many years. More fun than the beech. I wood spruce up and come. You walnut regret, it. Butternut delay.

Sincerely,
HICKORY HEMLOCK,
MR. AND MRS. H. H. WEBER,
MR. AND MRS. W. S. WALKER,
St. Louis, July 12, 1904.

Wrecks Plenty.

On Monday afternoon two freight trains collided at Cameron, wrecking a number of cars and demolishing both engines. The negligence of some one, which is now being tried at the Supt's office. The same evening a freight train piled up a number of cars west of Ridgway, detaining mail east until after mid-night.

Gone to Alaska.

Ed. Litreneau and Eugene Goodyear, two sturdy Frenchmen, for many years in the employ of C. B. Howard Company at this place, left yesterday morning for Alaska, to return rich we hope in the future.

Everybody reads the PRESS

Rushing the Work.

Landlord Wheeler, of the New Warner, continues to make extensive improvements, work being in progress from cellar to roof. It will take some time before the renovating is complete.

Stricken With Paralysis.

The friends of Mrs. Theo. Marshall, who used to reside in Emporium with her family, will be pained to hear she was stricken with paralysis, at her home near Serling Run, several days ago.

Snakes Plenty.

This section seems to have an extraordinary supply of snakes this year. Hardly a day passes but what we hear of the killing of rattlers, copperheads and black snakes. One day last week the men employed at the Climax Powder works killed five in one batch, part being copperheads. Two rattlers were killed on West Fourth street, near Mrs. Hurteau's residence last Saturday, while the previous day a large black rattler was killed on W. H. Howard's lawn in front of his residence. It measured three feet and eight inches.

Serious Cutting Affray.

Last Monday, about noon, several men became involved in a quarrel at the Emporium House, kept by Mr. D. W. Donavon, who ordered one of the men, Jos. Shoup, to leave the house, which he refused to do. The proprietor ejected him, the drunken and infuriated may making a lunge at Mr. Donavon with a knife, cutting him on his left hand quite seriously. During the melee Merrick Nolan got into the scrap and Shoup terribly cut Nolen's left hand. Mr. Donavon swore out a warrant for the arrest of Shoup, who was taken before Esquire Larrabee, by Chief Mundy, who committed him to jail in default of $1500 bail. We understand this same man Shoup is rather free with his knife when in liquor and only a short time ago drove out of the St. Charles Hotel a number of men.

Inspector Ryan Battles With Green Goods Men.

Post office Inspector W. S. Ryan, well know in Emporium having visited here frequently, last Saturday, after a desperate hand-to-hand fight, succeeded in capturing William J. Hutchinson, or, as he is better known, "Big Bill Henley," the king of green goods men. As mementos of his experience Ryan took with him to Philadelphia bullet wounds of the head and breast and a million dollars in green goods, as well as $2625 in genuine notes.

Ryan was especially selected for the capture of Hutchinson, who was known to be among the mountains at Mechanicstown, N. Y., because he had once before arrested him at Rochester. Speaking of the matter yesterday Ryan said: "With Weeks, the sheriff who was assiting me, I approached Hutchinson and a pal named Harding. They at once showed fight. All four of us drew our revolvers and then a general fight ensued. Weeks was badly cut over the eye and I received a bullet in the chest and another which ploughed along the top of my scalp. The two men broke away from us, although both of them were badly wounded. We ran to a road house and by dousing our heads in a trough and then applying salt to the wounds stopped the flow of blood and continued the chase. We captured Hutchinson, who was the one we wanted most, but the other man escaped. I believe that he was so badly wounded that he will die in a few days."

Portage Falls Low Rate Sunday Excursions via Pennsylvania Railroad.

On Sundays, July 17 and 31, August 14 and 28, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will run special excursions to Portage Falls. A special train will be run on the following schedule and excursion tickets, good only on date of excursion on special train in each direction, will be sold at rates quoted from the following stations:

	Train Leaves.	Rate.
Emporium	8.00 a. m.,	$1 00
Emporium Junction	8.03 "	1 00
Shippen	8.13 "	1 00
Keating Summit	8.33 "	1 00
Port Allegany	8.50 "	1 00
Larabee	9 08 "	80
Eldred	9.14 "	75
Portville	9.29 "	65
Olean	9.45 "	50
Portage Falls Park	Ar. 11.30 "	....

Returning, special train will leave Portage Falls Park 5.15 p. m., arriving Olean 6.57, Emporium 8.45 p. m.

Children between 5 and 12 years of age, half rates.

Emmanuel Church Missionary Offering.

The offering next Sunday morning, July 24th, will be towards the apportionment for General Missions. The apportionment asked of Emmanuel Parish this year is $99. Of this amount $82 has been already raised, leaving a balance still to be made up of $17.

BRIEF MENTION.

Five prisoners in County jail.

Now is the time to buy your clothing. Buy whiie the inducemets are offerred at N. Seger's.

FOR SALE.—Lot on West Sixth street. Inquire of Mrs. S. J. Knickerbocker, Port Allegany Pa. 22-4t.

Emporium ball team played Driftwood nine last Monday, defeating the latter by 3 to 0. It is reported a good game.

The greatest bargains in summer clothing ever offered in this county at N. Seger's. Call and see him if you want serviceable clothing.

About two car loads of Emporiumites took in the excursion to Portage Falls last Sunday; many, however, going to Rock City and Olean for the day.

Grace Episcopal Church, of Ridgway which is being torn down to make room for a new edifice, will be moved to St. Marys and erected as an Episcopal Chapel.

The finest line of gents furnishing goods in this section of the state, at prices never heard of before at N. Seger's. Visit his store and get prices.

The young ladies of the M. E. Church at Cameron, will hold a social in the Hall, Saturday evening, July 23. Proceeds for benefit of the pastor. Remember the place and date.

FOR SALE.—Fifty-one acre farm, 40 acres improved, located at or near Lock Haven, known as "Irish Settlement." Will be sold at a bargain. Enquire of PATRICK DULLING, Emporium, Pa. 21-3t

There will be held an ice cream social on the lawn of Mrs. Helen Metzger's home, on Fifth street, on Friday evening of this week. If the weather does not permit of holding it out of doors, it will be held in the basement of the new church. I. X. L. Ice Cream.

An explosion in the Warner House kitchen range, on Tuesday, caused some excitement but little damage. Chief Clerk Davis thought it was the adjournment of St. Louis Convention, but Parker says, "Wow! Wow! it is my little telegram to Sheenan. Train going to Buffalo."

The annual pic-nic of Emmanuel Sunday school was held yesterday at Keystone Park. It was a pleasant occasion. One of the features of the day was a game of base ball between scrub nines. Rev. Robertson, as umpire, came near being mobbed but stuck to his decisions.

The August Woman's Home Companion contains features for everybody. "The Wonders of Modern Bridge-Building" is a popular article that reads like fiction. "House Boating on Lake St. Clair" is a vacation feature. In "Which is the Beautiful Sex?" Henry T. Finck advances the theory that men are more beautiful that women. Edward A. Steiner, Tolstoy's biography, tells of a pilgrimage to his home. The Rev. Francis E. Clark, D. D., writes of Christian Endervor. The fiction is not second in prominence to feature. There are short stories by Mrs. Spofford, Agnes L. Provost, Bert Taylor and Emery Pottle. Published by The Crowell Publishing Company, Springfield, Ohio; one dollar a year; ten cents a copy.

DEATH'S DOINGS.

EDWARDS.

Paralysis caused the death of MRS. CAROLINE EDWARDS, at the home of her son Charles, at Coudersport, Pa., Saturday, July 16th, in the seventy-fifth year of her age.

Deceased had made her home with her son Burdette, at Sizerville, for many years and had just gone to Coudersport in obedience to a desire to visit her son, when stricken as above indicated, and though the best medical skill was employed she failed to permanently rally and passed peacefully away.

She was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church and was a most exemplary christian, a faithful mother, true friend and kind neighbor. Surviving her are six children, Burdette, of Sizerville; George, of Gardeau; Jason, of Idaho; A. J., of Emporium; Charles, of Coudersport and Mrs. Olive Tarr, of Hazle Hurst, Pa.

Mrs. Edwards was the grand-mother of Mrs Fred Crosby of town.

Funeral services were held at the home of her son Burdette last Monday afternoon, the Rev. O S. Metzler, officiating, in the presence of a large company of relatives and friends. Interment was made in Newton cemetery.

The Buffalo Flyer Crashes into Freight

Two Firemen Killed and Many Injured. Dense Fog the Cause of the Accident.

Last Saturday morning Buffalo Flyer, known as train No. 107, left Emporium for Buffalo, sixteen minutes late, drawn by two engines, and making about forty-five miles an hour, collided with south bound freight, No. 152, about three hundred feet this side of Shippen station, at the foot of the steep grade, at 4:31 o'clock. The Flyer firemen were instantly killed, while the engineers were throwm from their cabs, one about fifty feet, escaping serious injury.

HEAVY FOG THE CAUSE.

Engineer Fred Heim, of the freight, was interviewed by the PRESS representative and while he was suffering untold agonies, gave all the information leading up to the collision. Buffalo Flyer was running on schedule and was supposed to pass the freight at Shippen, that train using the double track down the hill, the terminus of the double track. The morning was an exceedingly foggy one and Mr. Heim tells us he could not see a rod ahead, therefore he "crept" down, feeling his way for the usual stopping place, and not running more than four miles an hour, in fact was just moving in the heavy fog, when he discovered he was at the water tank, beyond the clearance post. Knowing now he was on the main track and that the Flyer was past due, he blew his whistle as a signal and got out of his cab, the head brakeman rushing ahead with the red light to signal the Flyer and had not gone more than two car lengths when the Flyer crashed into the freight, piling up three engines and demolishing the express and combination baggage and smoker. The baggage car crashed under the express car which was raised by the collision. Messenger A. W. Schenck, of Harrisburg, who was in his car, was terribly bruised and shaken up by being hurled all over the car. When the cars ceased to pile up Mr. Schenck crawled through a hole in the car and escaped over the top of the coaches. The baggage master, George Hansen, was more unfortunate than the express messenger, being hurled against the trunks breaking his right shoulder and injuring one leg. Wallace Slocum, of Buffalo, formerly of Emporium, head brakeman on Flyer, was cut about the face and head. All of the passengers were shaken up and more frightened than injured, many jumping from their berths in their night clothes.

The wreck, while serious, might have been worse. Had the freight train been at full speed, the loss of life would have been great. As it was the two passenger engines, both monsters, mounted the freight engine, one on top of the other, the tender of the first engine turning a complete somersault, pinning and crushing fireman Sulvia (called Sullivan) where he sat, roasting him. The other fireman, Frank Prozella was also killed where he sat upright in his seat, and remained in that position until the wreck was cleared away and the mangled remains of the man removed by the Buffalo and Olean wrecking crews, and taken to Emporium by undertakers LaBar and Egan, who prepared them for burial and shipped their bodies to Buffalo Sunday morning.

When the news reached Emporium a train was hurried to the scene with physicians and railroad men, as well as citizens, who went along to render what assistance they could. The Express and mail matter was gathered up, as well as the baggage, most of the latter being in a deplorable condition—trunks and satchels being smashed and torn. The train was run to Emporium, where the passengers could get breakfast. The train contained a large number of Shriners who were returning from Atlantic City, included in the party being Mayor Knight of Buffalo and other prominent citizens of Buffalo as well as Bradford. The express train was sent to Buffalo via Ridgway and Clermont. Justice of the Peace, Chas. J. Howard, acting coroner, selected the following gentlemen to act as jurors: H. H. Mullin, foreman, E. C. Davey, John Wygant, Jos. L. Wheeler, M. F. Lucore and W. R. Sizer. The jurors viewed the bodies and examined several witnesses, including engineer Fred Heim, conductor Walter Clark and Michael Schultz. Verdict was unanimous that the deaths were accidental, no evidence being apparent of neglect of duty on the part of any one.

THE FUNERALS AND INJURED.

From the Buffalo Commercial of Tuesday, we clip the following that will interest the PRESS readers who are friends of the dead firemen.

The remains of Frank N. Prozeller and Charles A. Sulvia, the two firemen killed in the Pennsylvania railroad wreck at Shippen, Pa., early last Saturday morning, reached this city at 7 o'clock this morning and were removed to the homes of the stricken families.

Prozeller was 35 years of age and was the son of Frank J. and Augusta Prozeller and a brother of Edward Prozeller and Mrs. Ida Jetter. He was a member of Lodge 85, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, and of Lodge 49, A. O. U. W.

The funeral of Prozeller will be held from the family home, 605 South Division street, to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock, and from the Church of the Sacred Heart at 8:30 o'clock.

Charles A. Suliva was 29 years of age. He is survived by his wife, Louisa A. *nee* Hague, and by his father, Owen Sulvia. He is also survived hy three brothers, William, Owen and Frank, and by five sisters, Mrs. Mary Gord, of Chicago, Mrs. Anna Snyder, of Wilkesbarre, Pa., Mrs. Rose Carson and Mrs. Gertrude Brown, of Buffalo and Miss Della Sulvia, also of this city. The deceased was a member of Red Jacket Lodge 85, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen.

The funeral of Sulvia was held this afternoon at 1 o'clock from the family residence, 429 William street, and from St. James church, corner of Swan and Spring streets, at 1:30 o'clock.

Those injured in the wreck were brought to this city late Saturday afternoon, as told of in last Saturday's Commercial. They included Joseph H. Parker, of 236 Spring street, engineer on the first passenger engine; Charles Linderbolt, of 545 North Division street, engineer of the rear passenger engine; George A. Hensen, of 562 Swan street, baggage master; Wallace Slocum, also of this city, brakeman. Dr. and Mrs. George L. Brown, of 203 Highland avenue, passengers.

None of the injured are believed to be dangerously hurt and all were reported as doing well this morning.

At Dr. Brown's residence it was reported that the doctor was suffering from a sprained back, but was resting as comfortably as could be expected. Mrs. Brown's injuries are due chiefly to shock and are not serious.

Doing Nicely.

On Monday a valuable cow, belonging to Merrick Barker, broke one of of her legs. At first it was thought the animal would have to be shot, but Veterinary Surgeon A. E. Gross was consulted, who set the injury and "cowey" is able to be around, apparently getting along nicely.

Noisy Game.

Austin and Emporium ball teams crossed bats on the Keystone grounds last Saturday. The score stood 15 to 1 in favor of Austin. We regret to hear that a disagreement arose and bad blood was manifest.

Lots for sale, enquire J. R. Fetter. 22-3t.

Democrats Deserting.

Prominent Democrats in all parts of the country are deserting the Democratic ticket. L. B. Seibert, the old war horse of Potter county heads the bolt in his county, taking with him the Democratic Club of Coudersport. A number of Cameron county Democrats, are disgusted with the trickery at St. Louis Convention, while not speaking out in meeting are none the less disgusted and predict Roosevelt's election.

Political Announcement.

Editor Press:—

Please announce my name as a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

HENRY LUDLAM.

Emporium, Pa., April 26th, 1904.

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How long does a dream last? To the dreamer it sometimes seems to endure for hours, and the general impression is that dreams continue for minutes at least, while the fact is that the longest dream appears to be confined within a solitary second, even though the events of it may impress the dreamer for days.

The cotton manufacturers decided to advance the price of their goods on and after April 1, 1904. For some time past the large Russian wholesale houses have been refraining from purchasing large quantities of any textile goods. It is feared that the advance in the price of cotton goods will have a tendency to make sales even less than they are at present.

M. Hermant Lecat, a Paris commission agent, enveloped his head in a pillow case, tying the open end tightly round his neck. He then introduced an India rubber pipe attached to a gas jet through a hole previously made, and turned on the gas. His wife, entering the kitchen shortly afterward, found him dead, the pillow case distended like a balloon.

Some one has drawn attention to the fact that music exercises an influence on the growth of the hair in a most curious manner. Constant playing for some years on metal instruments, the trombone in particular, will cause baldness; while the playing of the piano, violin and violoncello rather increases than otherwise the growth of the hair. Flute and clarinet players are not supposed to be influenced either way.

William W. Murphy, a locomotive engineer on the Burlington's fast express between Hannibal and St. Joseph, has been making observations on the speed of various birds and insects. Many birds, he says, make a practice of flying beside or in front of his engine, and when the weather is clear and there is no wind he opens the throttle and races with them. He finds that a chicken hawk and a crow can make 25 miles an hour.

Syria and Palestine, on account of the defective means employed for utilizing the subterranean water supply, are justly called semi-arid regions. The introduction of boring and pumping machinery is certain to prove a great boon. No artesian wells exist so far, but experiments are progressing with a hope of locating basins that may be tapped. All over the country large tracts of lands are lying idle for lack of water.

The British possessions in West Africa cover 500,000 square miles, containing 20,000,000 Negroes, and easily capable of producing a yearly cotton crop of 10,000,000 bales. The specimens of cotton raised in Sierra Leone are splendid in quality; this colony will become a great cotton supply market. For Gambia and the Gold Coast prospects are also promising. The conditions for cotton cultivation are good in Uganda and British East Africa.

A new type of fish hook, the invention of E. Hindon Hyde, of New York, shows how even the simplest thing of common life can be readily improved. The improvement consists in transferring the barb of the hook from the inside of the point, that is, between the point and the shank, to the opposite side of the hook. The advantage of the new hook is that it renders it much more difficult for a hooked fish to release himself upon a slack line.

The Russo-Japanese war is productive of a number of singular things. Japan has sent millions of gold to the United States for war supplies, and this gold, or a great deal of it, was sent to Paris to settle the Panama account. France is friendly to Russia in the present struggle, and Russia is negotiating a war loan from the French. When the loan is negotiated it will be paid in gold, and much of it will be the gold sent to the United States by Japan.

Prof. W. J. Hussey, of the University of California astronomical department at Lick observatory has announced his discovery of 100 new stars. Most of the stars were found through the twelve-inch and thirty-six-inch telescopes at the Lick observatory at Mount Hamilton, although, to make his observations complete, Prof. Hussey was obliged to make trips to the Lowe observatory, on Echo mountain, and the Lowell observatory, at Flagstaff, Ariz.

YE GOLDEN JUBILEE.

THE REPUBLICAN PARTY CELEBRATES FIFTIETH BIRTHDAY.

Secretary of State Hay Sounds Keynote of Campaign—Senator Fairbanks Speaks on History of the Party.

Five thousand people assembled in Loomis park at Jackson, Mich., on July 6, to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of the birth of the republican party "Under the Oaks" in that city July 6, 1854. It was there on that date that the first state convention acting under the name of "republican" was held. The state ticket nominated on that day went through a heated campaign to election day success.

A tremendous audience was present when Senator J. C. Burrows, of Michigan, introduced Secretary of State John Hay, the orator of the afternoon. Secretary Hay said in the course of his remarks:

"A century is but a moment of history; it has often happened that several of them have passed away, since men began to record their deeds, with little change in the physical aspect or the moral progress of the world. But at other times—of intense action and spiritual awakening—a single generation may form an epoch, and few periods of equal duration in political annals have been so crowded with great events as the 50 years we celebrate to-day.

"Under the oaks of Jackson on the 6th of July, 1854, a party was brought into being and baptized, which ever since has answered the purposes of its existence with fewer follies and failures and more magnificent achievements than ordinarily fall to the lot of any institution of mortal origin. And even the beginning of the end is not yet. This historic party is only now in the full maturity of its power and its capacity for good.

"The republican party had a noble origin. It sprang directly from an aroused and indignant national conscience. Questions of finance, of political economy, of orderly administration, passed out of sight for the moment, to be taken up and dealt with later on. But in 1854 the question that brought the thinking men together was whether there should be a limit to the aggressions of slavery, and in 1861 that solemn inquiry turned to one still more portentous. Should the nation live or die?

"The humblest old republican in America has the right to be proud that in the days of his youth in the presence of these momentous questions he judged right, and if he is sleeping in his honored grave his children may justly be glad of his decision.

"It was not so easy 50 years ago to take sides against the slave power as it may seem to-day. Respect for the vested rights of the southern people was one of our most sacred traditions. It was founded on the compromises of the constitution and upon a long line of legal and legislative precedents.

"If the slaveholders had been content with their unquestioned predominance, they might for many years have controlled our political and social world.

"They felt instinctively that if their system were permanently to endure it must be extended, and to attain this object they were ready to risk everything. They rent in twain the compromises which had protected them so long. They tore down the bulwarks which had at once restricted and defended them; and confiding in their strength and our patience they boldly announced and inaugurated the policy of the indefinite extension of their 'peculiar institution.'

"Yet the most wonderful feature of that extraordinary campaign which then began, and which never ceased until the land was purged of its deadly sin, was that even in the very 'tempest and whirlwind of their passion' the great leaders of the republican party kept their agitation strictly within the limits of the constitution and the law. There was no general demand for even an amendment to the organic instrument.

"They pleaded for the repeal of unjust statutes as inconsistent with the constitution, but did not advocate their violation. Only among the more obscure and ardent members of the party was there any demand for the abolition of slavery, but the whole party stood like a rock for the principle that the damnable institution must be content with what it had already got, and must not be allowed to pollute another inch of free soil.

"On this impregnable ground they made their stand; and the mass convention which assembled here in 1854, while the vibrations of the thunder of the guns and the shoutings of the birthday of liberty yet lingered in the air, gave a nucleus and a name to the new party, destined to a great and beneficent career.

"Before the month ended the anti-slavery men of five more great states adopted the name 'republican,' and under that banner congress was carried and two years later a national party assembled at Pittsburg and nominated Fremont and Dayton, who failed by a few votes of sweeping the north.

"Who of us that was living then will ever forget the ardent enthusiasm of those days? It was one of those periods, rare in the life of any nation, when men forget themselves and, in spite of habit, of interest, and of prejudice, follow their consciences wherever they may lead.

"The movement was universal. Sumner in the east, Seward in New York, Chase in Ohio, Bates in Missouri, Blair in Maryland, all sent forth their identical appeal to the higher motive; and in Illinois, where the most popular man in the state boldly and cynically announced: 'I don't care whether slavery is voted up or voted down,' a voice, new to the nation, replied: 'There are some of us who do care. If slavery is not wrong nothing is wrong'—and Abraham Lincoln came upon the field, not to leave it until he was triumphant in death.

"Our opponents sometimes say we have no right to claim the credit of the great deeds of the last half century—that we could not have accomplished them without the aid of democrats. Nothing truer was ever said; and it is one of the chief glories of our annals, and it forms the surest foundation of our hopes for the future.

"The principles upon which our party is built are so sound, they have so irresistible an attraction to patriotic and fair minded men, that whenever a time of crisis comes, when the national welfare is clearly at stake, when voters must decide whether they shall follow their prejudices or their consciences, we draw from other parties their best men by thousands.

"Bright among the brightest of those who founded our party shine the names of democrats; and when the war came on the picked men of that party rallied to the colors. Douglas, shortly before he died, declared his unfaltering support of Lincoln. The sun would go down before I could name the democrats who fought like heroes for the country—Grant, Sherman, Sheridan, Dix, Sickles, Logan—in short, an innumerable host.

"Ask, them, the democrats, 'has the president been a good citizen, a good soldier, a good man in all personal relations? Is he a man of intelligence, of education? Does he know this country well? Does he know the world outside? Has he studied law, history and politics? Has he had great chances to learn, and has he improved them? Is he sound and strong in mind, body and soul? Is he accessible and friendly to all sorts and conditions of men? Has he the courage and the candor and the God-given ability to speak to the people and tell them what he thinks?' To all these questions they will answer 'yes.' Then what is your objection to him? They will either stand speechless or they will answer with the parrot cry which we have heard so often: He is unsafe!

"In a certain sense we shall have to admit this to be true. To every grade of lawbreakers, high or low; to a man who would rob a till or a ballot box; to the sneak or the bully; to the hypocrite and the humbug, Theodore Roosevelt is more than unsafe; he is positively dangerous."

Fairbanks Pays Tribute.

Senator Fairbanks, the next speaker, said in part:

"Senator Burrows and Fellow Citizens: We are met to commemorate no ordinary event, for here, a half century ago, American patriots solemnly pledged themselves to vindicate the 'first principles of republican government;' to challenge the aggressions of the slave power. Here was issued the second declaration of freedom. Here was taken the initial step which led to the overthrow of slavery and the establishment of the government upon truly national lines. We freely pay the tribute of our grateful appreciation to the memory of those who raised here the standard of republicanism.

"The republican party was here christened and sent forth to accomplish a more vital mission than had ever challenged the consideration of the people since the foundation of the government.

"To the republican party was committed, in God's providence, the stupendous responsibility of preserving the integrity of the nation itself. We would not here kindle anew the fires of past hates, or reopen the debates of long-buried differences which divided section against section, for we stand reunited under the acknowledged supremacy of one flag and one constitution. But we may appropriately recall the history of a past generation in which American contested with American for the triumph of opposing theories. In that contest the republican party stood for national solidarity. It stood for the nation above state, and the victory it achieved blessed both the victor and the vanquished.

"Fifty years is a brief period, when compared with the life of the elder nations, yet it embraces the entire life of the republican party, a party whose achievements are among the most lasting and luminous of the deeds done by any party since the beginning of the government. It has not lived the life of repose and inactivity, for its career has been characterized by restless energy and serious work. Its lines have been cast amidst stirring events, when great problems were to be solved and mighty deeds were to be done. It has met upon a high level domestic questions of far-reaching significance, and it has increased our prestige aboard."

From the French.

"Dozen" is from the French douzaine, a collection of articles generally numbered together. It is used in the Herefordshire poems, 1200, and shows French for the first time encroaching upon English numerals.

Japs Use Proper Method.

The Japanese address their letters the reverse of what we do, writing the country first, the county next, then the city, the street and number, and the name last of all.

A Wonderful Spider Web.

In the Pacific ocean there is a group of islands called the New Hebrides, where there is a species of spider that weaves a fine cloth. What do you think of that? The natives place a slight framework in some dark corner where there are known to be spiders, and the little insects immediately take possession of the frame and use it as a foundation for a web, with marvelous results. One cap made in this way by spiders was over four feet ten inches long, and over a foot in diameter at the base.

THE MEET PACKERS' STRIKE.

ABOUT 50,000 MEN ARE IDLE IN VARIOUS CITIES.

Peace Negotiations Are at a Standstill, Although Both Sides Are Anxious for a Settlement—Few Disturbances.

Chicago, July 61.—Negotiations for peace in the stock yards strike are practically at a standstill and the strike will continue until one side or the other abates something of the demands made up to the present time.

Both sides are anxious for a peaceable settlement, but the stumbling block to a final adjustment is that neither side is prepared to allow the other to dictate the basis of the arbitration.

Friday afternoon the packers considered Mr. Donnelly's reply to their proposition of Thursday night, but it proved unsatisfactory and the union officials were notified that it would be impossible to reach an agreement along the lines suggested by Mr. Donnelly. In their answer to Mr. Donnelly, the packers declared themselves willing to arbitrate, but stipulated that the arbitration should include the entire scope of the strike and not be subject to restrictions of any kind. The communication of the packers was identical with the one sent on Thursday by them to Mr. Donnelly and to which his counter proposition was a reply.

With the reply of the packers was sent a note to Mr. Donnelly notifying him that they would be ready for his answer to-day and that if he desired another conference with them they would be pleased to meet him in another effort to reach a basis of arbitration. No arrangements have as yet been made for another conference, but the reply of the unions to the last note of the packers will be sent this morning, after which Mr. Donnelly will leave for St. Louis, where he will address a mass meeting of strikers on Sunday afternoon.

The following is the reply of the packers to the proposition of Mr. Donnelly:

All grievances to be submitted to arbitration; the strikers to be reemployed as rapidly as places can be found for them, preference to be given the strikers in the order of their applications for work; all men now at work to be retained and the temporary wages to be in accordance with the schedule in effect at the time of the strike.

The allied trades unions at the stock yards are becoming restless and unless a settlement is reached in the near future they have decided to stop work in sympathy with the men already out. The members of the allied crafts at the yards in this city number between 14,000 and 15,000 and a majority of them belong to the union. A mass meeting of these men will be held to-night, when the question of their quitting work will be discussed.

The work in the packing plants in this city was continued Friday on a much larger scale than at any time since the strike has been declared. Many new men have been employed, among whom it is said are many skilled workmen, and the packers declare that they are doing better than they expected they would be able to do at the time the old employes quit work.

A non-union workman was assailed by a crowd as he emerged from the entrance to the stock yards. He was beaten, kicked and stoned, but managed to reach a street car and escape. The crowd threw stones at the car and injured a striker who was aboard.

St. Paul, Minn., July 16.—Several hundred strikers lined up in front of the main entrance to the Swift Packing Co.'s plant at South St. Paul yesterday and refused to let the office force and other employes into the building. The strikers had learned of the operation of the plant on Thursday and concluded that the office men must have been employed on the killing floor and determined to allow no one to enter the grounds.

Mayor Lyttle was appealed to by the company and consented to lead the office force in an effort to get through the gates.

The strikers refused to admit the mayor and party. Gov. Van Sant has refused to call out the militia.

New York, July 16.—The East Side Butchers' association of this city met Friday and resolved to sell no fresh meats for a week.

At the meeting of the strikers, James P. Holland and Joseph F. Hammill, general organizers respectively of the Firemen's and the Electric Engineers' unions, announced they were ready to order their men on a sympathetic strike as soon as non-union men are put to work in the plants. In case they go on strike, the plants would be shut down until the places of the men were supplied.

Convicted of Fraud.

Jamestown, N. Y., July 16.—Franklin A. Booth, of Rochester, was convicted in the federal court yesterday of fraudulent use of the mails and was sentenced to 18 months' imprisonment. In the trial of Stamates Bias for using false naturalization papers, indirect evidence was produced showing that 90 of such papers had been issued from a bureau operating at Youngstown, O.

More Strikes are Ordered.

New York, July 16.—Strikes of the plumbers, gas fitters and steam fitters and helpers were ordered Friday on all the contracts of New York contractors in outside cities to force a system of exchange of cards with unions in outside cities. It is charged that the old Plumbers' union of New York is the last union to cling to the idea of the board of building trades to build a Chinese wall about the building trades in this city, so that union men from other cities could not come here to compete with New Yorkers.

Business Cards.

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TIME TABLE No. 27.

COUDERSPORT & PORT ALLEGANY R. R.

Taking effect May 27th, 1901.

EASTWARD.

STATIONS.	10	8	4	6	2
	P. M.	.....	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.
Port Allegany, Lv.	3 15	.....	7 05	.....	11 36
Coleman,	*3 23	.....	○○	.....	*11 41
Burtville,	*3 30	.....	7 16	.....	11 47
Roulette,	3 40	.....	7 25	.....	11 55
Knowlton's,	*3 45	.....	○○	.....	*11 59
Mina,	3 59	.....	7 35	.....	12 05
Olmsted,	*4 05	.....	*7 38	.....	*12 09
Hammonds,	○○	.....	○○	.....	*12 13
Coudersport. Ar.	4 20	A. M.	7 45	.....	12 15
Coudersport. Lv.		6 10		6 00	1 00
North Coudersport,	.....	*6 15	.....	○○	*1 05
Frink's,	.....	6 25	.....	*6 10	*1 12
Colesburg,	.....	*6 40	.....	*6 17	1 20
Seven Bridges,	.....	*6 45	.....	*6 21	*1 24
Raymonds's,	.....	*7 00	.....	*6 30	1 35
Gold,	.....	7 05	.....	6 36	1 41
Newfield,	.....	○○	.....		1 45
Newfield Junction,	.....	7 37	.....	6 45	1 50
Perkins,	.....	*7 40	.....	*6 48	*1 53
Carpenter's,	.....	7 46	.....	○○	*1 57
Crowell's,	.....	7 50	.....	*6 53	*2 01
Ulysses, Ar.	.....	8 05	.....	7 05	2 10
	.....	A. M.	.....		P. M.

WESTWARD.

STATIONS.	1	5	3	.....
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	.....
Ulysses, Lv.	7 20	2 25	9 10	.....
Crowell's,	*7 27	*2 32	* 9 19	.....
Carpenter's,	○○	*2 34	* 9 22	.....
Perkins,	*7 32	*2 37	* 9 26	.....
Newfield Junction,	7 37	2 42	9 32	.....
Newfield,	*7 41	2 46	○○	.....
Gold,	7 44	2 49	9 40	.....
Raymond's,	*7 49	2 54	* 9 47	.....
Seven Bridges,	*8 01	*3 06	*10 02	.....
Colesburg,	*8 04	3 09	*10 10	.....
Frink's,	*8 12	*3 17	*10 20	.....
North Coudersport,	○○	*3 26	*10 35	.....
Coudersport, Ar.	8 25	3 30	10 45	.....
Coudersport, Lv.	8 28	6 00	P. M. 1 20	.....
Hammonds,	○○	○○	○○	.....
Olmsted,	*8 33	*6 05	*1 31	.....
Mina,	8 37	6 10	1 37	.....
Knowlton's,	○○	*6 17	○○	.....
Roulette,	8 47	6 21	1 51	.....
Burtville,	8 54	6 28	2 01	.....
Coleman,	○○	*6 34	○○	.....
Port Allegany,	9 08	6 40	2 25	.....

(*) Flag stations. (○○) Trains do not stop
(†) Telegraph offices. Train Nos. 3 and 10 will carry passengers. Tains 8 and 10 do.
Trains run on Eastern Standard Time.
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Official Condensed Time Table in Effect June 23, 1902.

Sunday Only	Week Days.						Daily	Week Days.			
P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.		STATIONS.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
5 10		5 10	11 10	7 15	Lv.	Addison. Ar	10 13	4 43			
5 41		5 41	11 41	8 01		Elkland	9 41	4 11			
5 46		5 46	11 46	8 06		Osceola	9 36	4 06			
5 55		5 55	11 55	8 22		Knoxville	9 26	3 56			
6 11		6 11	12 11	8 40		Westfield	9 13	3 43			
6 47		6 47	12 47	9 25		Gaines Junction	8 36	3 06			
7 00		7 00	1 00	9 40	Ar.	Lv.					
	5 00			10 20	Lv.	Galeton, Ar.	8 23	2 53	5 35		
7 40	5 40	P. M.	P. M.	10 58	Ar.	Cross Fork Junction. Lv	7 39	2 09	4 23		
	5 45	2 10		11 00	Lv.	Cross Fork Junction Ar.	7 15	2 00	3 55		
	6 55	3 00		11 50	Ar.	Cross Fork, Pa. Lv.	6 15	1 00	3 05		
8 24	6 24	P. M.	A. M.	11 39	Ar.	Wharton. Lv.	6 53	1 26	3 10		
			8 05	11 40	Lv.	Wharton. Ar	10 53		3 00		
		A. M.	8 58	1 00	Ar.	Sinnamahoning Lv	9 55		1 40		
8 45	6 43	8 00		11 58	Lv.	Austin. Ar	6 35	1 05	9 50	8 00	
	7 10	8 45		12 25	Ar.	Keating Summit Lv		12 40	9 10	7 30	
P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M	P. M.			A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	
			P. M.	A. M.							
			8 20	9 35	Lv.	Ansonia Ar	A. M. 9 21	P. M. 7 00			
			8 35	9 49		Manhatten	9 05	6 44			
			8 39	9 53		South Gaines	9 01	6 40			
			8 42	9 55		Gaines Junction	8 59	6 38			
			8 55	10 09	Ar.	Galeton Lv	8 45	6 25			
			P. M.	A. M.			A. M.	P. M.			
			P. M.	A. M.				P. M.			
			1 05	6 30	Lv.	Galeton Ar	10 10	4 55			
			1 24	6 47		Walton	9 51	4 39			
			1 50	7 13		Newfield Junction	9 27	4 15			
			2 06	7 30		West Bingham	9 09	4 01			
			2 18	7 41		Genesee	8 58	3 52			
			2 24	7 46		Shongo	8 53	3 47			
			2 46	8 06	Ar.	Wellsville Lv	8 30	3 30			
							A. M.	P. M.			

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At Genesee with N. Y & Pa., Rv. Union Station.
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The Governing Power of the Christian Faith

By DR. A. T. HADLEY,
President of Yale University.

Seven years ago when England was celebrating the fiftieth anniversay of the accession of her queen, and when every part of the British empire united in offerings of patriotic pride, the chorus of congratulation was broken by a sharp note of warning from that empire's greatest poet:

"If, drunk with sight of power, we loose
Wild tongues that have not thee in awe,
Such boastings as the Gentiles use,
Or lesser breeds without the law—
Lord God of Hosts, be with us yet,
Lest we forget—lest we forget."

If wealth and dominion follow as a result of faith and enthusiasm, they are good. But if wealth and dominion are made a primary object and are trusted as a source of national strength instead of its consequence or evidence, they prove a false reliance. And it is an unfortunate fact that very few nations have achieved wealth or dominion without suffering loss of faith and enthusiasm and remaining with the empty husk of greatness at the very moment when they deemed themselves most powerful.

Our chief danger comes from the other quarter—from trusting to the work of reason in places where we are imperfectly prepared for its operation. Most of us are so constituted and trained that the relaxation of discipline will not leave us at the mercy of blind passion, but it may leave us at the mercy of an almost equally blind spirit of selfish calculation.

To make human unselfishness the fundamental standard of right conduct is as disastrous as the attempt to make our unchecked animal instincts the standard of right conduct.

Almost every evil—political, social or commercial—which constitutes a serious menace to the permanent prosperity of our country can be traced directly to our tolerant acceptance of selfishness as a basis of morality.

Do not be blind to this truth: That if you have no higher motive than your own personal interest it means that your soul is for sale if the price be made sufficiently high. It is for you to show in your lives that honor of a gentleman is not for sale, the faith of a Christian something more than an empty form of speech.

The really fundamental thing in a man's life is his choice of a religion. Two religions are to-day struggling for the mastery. There is the religion of mammon, whose dominant purpose is selfishness and whose creed is indifference to moral considerations, except so far as they may be regarded as instruments of individual advancement. There is the religion of God, whose purpose is service and whose creed is loyalty to something larger than yourselves.

Pulpit Sensationalism

By DR. WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE.

If a preacher does not exaggerate he will have no audience. I make a plea for pulpit exaggeration. Sensationalism is justifiable in the pulpit because spiritual truths must be driven home to the hearts of the modern churchgoer by arguments that will appeal to the imagination as well as the reason.

Exaggeration in the pulpit is entirely allowable. If the modern minister stated things as they actually are people would not listen to him. I do not give this as an apology for lying, but it is a fact that the audiences of to-day demand sensationalism. They want to be impressed by big and extraordinary things, and the preacher must supply this demand. This necessitates exaggerated statements. The audience is attracted to them, discounts them, and accepts them at their real worth, while without the exaggeration they would never have noticed them.

The minister who understands the psychology of the crowd can easily see how exaggeration governs a multitude. The swaying of a crowd in different ways illustrates the power of unionism and clubs. The congregation succumbs to this government and really loves to be mastered.

A congregation's attention falls off if the sermon is on its own level. It does not like to debate or reason, and objects to being compelled to reason. The members of a congregation are never able to appreciate the truth when placed in doctrinal relations. So the popularity of a minister depends on his power to impress his hearers with such language that they will spread his message of their own accord.

The tearful preacher has no place in the pulpit nowadays. People despise him. They would rather have frowns and scowls than overworked tenderness or sloppy sentimentalism.

A Minister's Education

By DR. J. H. GEORGE,
President of the Chicago Theological Seminary.

The finishing touch to the young minister's education should be one or two years' experience as a reporter on a daily newspaper. The distixctive characteristic of the American of to-day is his deep interest in education, as demonstrated in our public school system, and in the develoomtnt of our colleges and universities. As a result, America is a nation of educated men and women. Hence it is necessary that we have a thoroughly educated ministry to serve them.

The minister's education must be exact, scientific, and philosophical. As a foundation there should be the primaray college degree, to which should be added a close intimacy with Biblical literature, church history, the progress of civilization, and a thorough knowledge of the conditions of life as they are to-day.

For this knowledge of social conditions and the problems of life there is demanded an extensive actual experience which shall bring him in contact with all sorts and conditions of men. To my mind there is no better way of acquiring this experience than by doing regular reporting in a great city. The news gatherer comes in contact with real life in all its phases. His knowledge of people does not come from books but from a study of their actual relations and attitudes. He deals with human nature and its puzzles constantly.

The theological graduate who for a year or two does newspaper work and studies the men with whom he comes in contact has an almost inexpressible advantage over the bookworm who has acquired all his knowledege of men from theses on the subject of "Man!"

THE WAR IN THE FAR EAST.

HAPPENINGS IN THE RUSSO-JAPANESE STRUGGLE.

Short Telegrams Telling of Battles and Skirmishes Between the Armies and Navies of the Two Nations.

A RUSSIAN VICTORY.

St. Petersburg, July 13.—A dispatch from a Russian correspondent at Mukden, dated July 12, says:

"According to intelligence received here the Japanese on Monday night attacked positions near Port Arthur and were repulsed with enormous losses, not less than 30,000, it is said, being killed or wounded by our mines."

New Chwang, July 13.—Chinese coming in from the country report the Russians everywhere retiring before the Japanese, who are soon expected here. Active preparations are being made for defense at Ta Tche Kiao.

ARE ONLY 15 MILES APART.

Che Foo, July 14.—Private advices just received from New Chwang indicate that the long expected battle between Kai-Chou and Ta Tche Kiao is now in progress.

St. Petersburg, July 14.—A special dispatch from Mukden last night, dated July 12, repeats the story of a Japanese repulse at Port Arthur, with the loss of 30,000. The dispatch says:

"News has been received from reliable sources that the Japanese third army on the night of July 11 attacked Port Arthur and was heavily defeated, an immense number being killed by Russian mines. The total loss is reported at about 30,000."

Steadily and cautiously Gen. Oku's army from the south and Gen. Nodzu's army from the east are closing in upon Ta Tche Kiao, where Gen. Kuropatkin is reported to be entrenched. One hundred and thirty thousand men are involved in the movement. The next few days will determine whether and to what extent Kuropatkin intends to make a stand at Ta Tche Kiao, the possession of which by the Japanese would compel the immediate evacuation of New Chwang.

London, July 14.—The Yin Kow correspondent of the Daily Chronicle asserts that a battle occurred north of Kai-Chou on July 12, when the Japanese were repulsed with great loss.

Ta Tche Kiao, July 14.—The Japanese attacked Ta Tche Kiao on Sunday, but the attack was not seriously pressed, the Japanese retiring eventually toward Kai-Chou.

JAPS OCCUPIED YIN KOW.

Hai Cheng, July 15.—A detachment of Gen. Mistchenko's army fought a brilliant engagement Tuesday near the Black Mountains. Some prisoners were taken.

Tokio, July 15.—It is reported that Yin Kow has been occupied by the Japanese without any resistance upon the part of the Russian troops.

Che Foo, July 15.—The steamer Hai Ping, from Shanghai, was captured yesterday by the Japanese, ten miles north of Che Foo, loaded with contraband of war.

Ta Tche Kiao, July 15.—The Russian retreat from Kai-Chou with the loss of only a hundred men and the infliction of heavy losses on the Japanese was a brilliant feat, of which Gen. Kuropatkin marked his appreciation by conferring decorations on every officer present.

The following was received from Port Arthur on Wednesday:

"There is no change in the position of affairs. Fresh provisions arrive daily. There are constant skirmishes in which the enemy suffer the most losses. We have no wounded or seriously ill. On the surrounding hills the Chinese are constantly heliographing. The Japanese have issued orders that instead of attempting to make prisoners of the Russians they are to be shot."

JAPS FLED IN DISORDER.

St. Petersburg, July 16.—An Associated Press correspondent in the field repeats the story of a Japanese disaster at Port Arthur, July 10, but does not add any details, except the statement that after the repulse the Japanese fled in great disorder, pursued by the Russians.

The Japanese are still entrenching south of Tatchekiao. No further advance has been reported.

Liao Yang, July 16.—Gen. Samsonoff seriously checked the Japanese advance in the direction of Yin Kow, July 11. His Cossacks ambushed the Japanese column and put 1,000 out of action.

The Japanese attempted to advance to Yin Kow along the coast, but they were hindered by the marshy country, which also increased their difficulties in carrying off their dead and wounded during the retreat.

Te Tche Kiao, July 16.—The latest reports regarding the storming of Port Arthur on July 10 place the Japanese losses in killed or wounded at 25,000 and those of the Russians at 5,500.

The Japanese have now changed their frontal position and a big battle is expected at the eastern portion of the defences, owing to the Japanese turning movement.

The Bolo was Poisoned.

Sterling, Ill., July 15.—A poisoned Filipino bolo with which Mel Donichy, of Sterling, accidentally wounded himself as he was giving an exhibition in an amateur minstrel performance, has caused blood poison in a virulent form. The young man cut his hand slightly with the bolo and the wound was dressed by a physician. Donichy began to lose flesh and to suffer from eruptions on his body. The bolo was taken to a chemist and was found to be covered with a poison, the exact nature of which has not been determined.

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TRAINS LEAVE EMPORIUM EASTWARD

8 10 A. M.—Week days for Sunbury, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Hazleton, Pottsville, Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6.23 P.M., New York 9.30 P. M., Baltimore 6 00 P. M., Washington 7.15 P. M. Pullman Parlor car from Williamsport to Philadelphia and passenger coaches from Kane to Philadelphia and Williamsport to Baltimore and Washington.

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12:15 A. M. (Emporium Junction) daily for Sunbury, Harrisburg and principal intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia, 7:32 a. m.; New York, 9:33 a. m., week days; (10:38 Sundays); Baltimore, 7:25 a. m.; Washington, 8:46 a. m. Vestibuled Buffet Sleeping Cars and Passenger coaches, Buffalo to Philadelphia and Washington.

WESTWARD.

5:10 A. M.—Emporium Junction—daily for Erie, Ridgway, and week days for DuBois, Clermont and intermediate stations.

10 30 A. M.—Daily for Erie and week days for DuBois and intermediate stations.

6 23 P. M.—Week days for Kane and intermediate stations.

RIDGWAY AND CLEARFIELD R. R. CONNECTIONS.
(Week days.)

SOUTHWARD.			Stations.	NORTHWARD		
P. M	A. M.	A. M.		P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
.....	9 00	4 02	....Renovo....	.....	5 00	11 45
.....	9 50	4 41	...Driftwood...	.....	4 05	11 05
.....	10 25	5 10	Emporium Junc	.....	3 23	10 35
.....	11 13	5 53	....St. Marys...	.....	2 35	9 53
3 20	11 05	5 55	.....Kane.....	12 25	3 00	8 25
3 36	11 23	6 13	....Wilcox....	12 02	2 46	8 04
3 48	11 43	6 25	..Johnsonburg..	11 47	2 28	7 49
4 05	12 05	6 50	...Ridgway,....	9 20	2 10	7 30
4 15	12 15	7 01	...Mill Haven...	9 09	1 58	7 20
4 25	12 24	7 10	... Croyland....	9 00	1 49	7 09
———	12 28	7 15	..Shorts Mills..	8 55	———	7 05
4 34	12 32	7 19	...Blue Rock...	8 51	1 40	7 01
4 38	12 35	7 23	.....Carrier.....	8 47	1 37	6 57
4 48	12 45	7 32	.Brockwayville.	8 37	1 27	6 47
4 53	12 50	7 37	...Lanes Mills..	8 34	1 23	6 43
4 57		7 41	.McMinns Sm't.	8 30		6 38
5 01	1 00	7 45	.Harveys Run..	8 25	1 15	6 35
5 05	1 05	7 50	..Falls Creek...	8 20	1 10	6 30
5 20	1 25	8 03	....DuBois.....	8 08	12 55	6 10
5 10	1 15	7 55	..Falls Creek...	6 53	1 15	6 30
5 27	1 29	8 08	.Reynoldsville..	6 39	12 52	6 15
6 00	1 56	8 35	...Brookville...	6 05	12 24	5 39
6 45	2 38	9 20	New Bethlehem		11 44	4 50
7 25	3 20	10 00	...Red Bank....	.....	11 05	4 05
10 10	5 30	12 35	....Pittsburg....	.....	9 00	1 30
P. M.	P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.	P. M.

BUFFALO & ALLEGHENY VALLEY DIVISION.

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Train No. 115, daily,.....4:15 P. M.

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Train No. 101, week days,.....8:25 A. M.
Train No. 103, week days.....1:35 P. M.

Train No. 103 will connect at Olean with Chautauqua Division for Allegany, Bradford, Salamanca, Warren, Oil City and Pittsburg.

LOW GRADE DIVISION.

EASTBOUND.

STATIONS.	109	113	101	105	107	951
	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M	P. M	A. M.
Pittsburg,..Lv.	.....	†6 15	†9 00	†130	*505	‡ 9 00
Red Bank,.....	.....	9 30	11 05	4 05	7 55	11 10
Lawsonham,....	.....	9 47	‡1118	4 18	8 07	11 23
New Bethle'm.	.....	10 20	11 44	4 50	8 37	11 55
Brookville,....	†6 05	11 10	12 24	5 39	9 22	12 41
Reynoldsville,.	6 39	11 42	12 52	6 15	9 50	1 14
Falls Creek....	6 53	11 57	1 15	6 30	‡005	1 29
DuBois,.....	7 00	‡12 05	1 25	6 40	‡015	‡ 1 35
Sabula,.....	7 12	.....	1 37	6 53		
Pennfield,.....	7 30	.....	1 55	7 15		
Bennezette,....	8 04	.....	2 29	7 47		
Driftwood,.....	†8 40	.....	†3 05	8 20		
via P. & E. Div						
Driftwood,. Lv.	*9 50	.....	†3 45			
Emporium, Ar.	†10 30	.....	†4 10			
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M	P. M	P. M,

WESTBOUND.

STATIONS.	108	106	102	114	110	952
Via P. & E. Div	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Emporium, Lv.	.....	.....	†8 10	.....	†3 20	.....
Driftwood, Ar..	.....	.....	†9 04	.....	†4 00	.....
Via L. G. Div	.....		.....		.....	.....
Driftwood, Lv.	.....	†5 50	‡1110	.....	†5 50	.....
Bennezette,....	.....	6 25	11 45	.....	6 25	.....
Pennfield,.....	.....	7 00	12 20	.....	7 04	.....
Sabula,.....	.....	7 18	12 39	.....	7 23	.....
DuBois.....	*6 05	7 30	12 55	†5 00	7 35	‡4 10
Falls Creek,....	6 12	7 55	1 15	5 10	7 42	4 17
Reynoldsville,..	6 30	8 08	1 29	5 27	7 58	4 30
Brookville.	7 05	8 35	1 56	6 00	†8 30	5 00
New Bethle'm.	7 51	9 20	2 38	6 45	.....	5 45
Lawsonham,..	8 21	9 47	†3 06	7 14	....	6 18
Red Bank,Ar..	8 35	10 00	3 20	7 25	.....	6 30
Pittsburg, Ar...	*11 15	‡1235	†5 30	†1010	.....	‡9 30
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. ‡Sunday only. §Flag Stop.

On Sunday only train leaves Driftwood 8:20 a. m., arrives at DuBois, 10:00 a. m. Returning leaves DuBois, 2:00 p. m.; arrives at Driftwood, 3:40 p. m., stopping at intermediate stations.

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The Tariff and 1904.

Some of the Democratic leaders say they will attempt to make the Tariff the leading issue in 1904. It is safe to say that the Republicans will be glad to asssist them in this endeavor. If there is anything that the Republicans would be grateful to the Democrats for in 1904, it is for bringing the Tariff question to the front, if they do this. Two or three Democrats in Congress have been making anti-Tariff addresses recently, with the intention of using them as campaign documents. The Republicans will be glad to assist the Democrats in disseminating all of that sort of literature that they will want to send out.

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Several excuses were made for Hancock's defeat in 1880, but the Tariff was the real cause of his overthrow. It was the Mills bill, which never passed, that laid out Cleveland in 1888. The Republicans do not need the Tariff as an aid in 1904, but they will accept it if the Democrats are obliging enough to furnish it. Under the Republican Tariff of 1897 the country has had a prosperity almost without example in its annals. If the Democrats want to assail this act, the Republicans would very cheerfully meet them on that line. If the Democrats make an attack on the Tariff this year they will be conferring a very great favor on every Republican candidate, from President Roosevelt downward.—St. Louis "Globe Democrat."

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JOHNSON & McNARNEY,
Solicitors for Petitioner,
Emporium, Pa., July 11th, 1904.

CHARTER NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an application will be made to the Governor of Pennsylvania on Tuesday, August 9th, 1904, by JAMES O. BROOKBANK, J. HENRY COCHRAN and JOSEPH W. COCHRAN, under the act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act to provide for the Incorporation and Regulation of certain Corporations," approved April 29th, 1874, and the several supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called THE BROOKBANK MERCANTILE COMPANY, the character and object of which is dealing in general merchandise and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said act of Assembly and its supplements.

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PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Contributions invited. That which you would like to see in this department, let us know by postal card or letter, personally.

Mrs. R. B. Warner visited Sterling Run friends last Monday.

Bedard the Tailor of St. Marys, visited in town last Sunday.

Wm. Buckingham, of Baltimore, transacted business in town yesterday.

Mr. Andrew Brady has returned from a brief business trip to New York.

Erman Rentz returned on Tuesday from visiting friends at Williamsport.

Station agent J. A. Dice, of Sterling Run, transacted business in town yesterday.

Wm. Zuber, clerk in First National Bank, is sick at the home of his sister at Renovo.

Mrs. E. J. Rogers and children have returned from visiting relatives in Potter county.

Geo. Beattie, son of Wm. Beattie returned to Laquinn last week, after visiting with relatives in Emporium.

Mrs. John Anderson and children, of Austin, have been visiting in Emporium, guests of Augustus Nelson and wife.

E. T. Wells and wife have returned from visiting in Canada since July 1st. Mr. W. is one of the efficient operators at Emporium Junction.

Miss Annie Welsh of West Fifth street, went to Warren, Pa., on Thursday last to visit her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Welsh.

Mrs. M. Johnson returned on Saturday from visiting with her daughters Mrs. H. H. Spanogle, at Altoona and Mrs. E. Stahley, of Renovo.

A. L. Ensign, one of the Climax Company's reliable men, was a PRESS visitor last Friday evening and renewed his paper for another year.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Felt, of Emporium were visiting in Ridgway Friday, being guests of their friend Mrs. Delos Dolliver.—Ridgway Advocate.

Mr. E. L. Mason returned on Monday from visiting his farm near Wellsville. He reports crops, except corn, looking fine, the best it has been in five years.

Mr. Joseph Kaye returned to Westboro, Wis., last Sunday, accompanied by his daughter and son, Mrs. J. L. Norie, who will spend the summer months in Wis., and take in the World's Fair later in the season.

Mrs. O. J. Nangle, left on 16th inst., for St. Paul, Minn., where she is sent as delegate of Branch No. 119, of this place, to attend the Supreme National Convention of the L. C. B. A., to be held at that city, beginniug July 19th.

Miss Florence Faucett and Miss Mary Jessop went to Wellsville, N. Y, last Saturday to spend a few weeks visiting Miss Mason, on the farm five miles from Wellsville. They accompanied Mr. E. L. Mason, who returned to Emporium on Monday.

E. J. Smith and family left on Monday to visit relatives in Conneticut and Massachusetts for several weeks. Mr. Smith, Sr., had already gone east for the summer. "Buster Brown" was disappointed when he found he could not take the ride in one of their automobiles, which would have enabled them to catch some big fish.

Fred Johnson has returned from Buffalo.

W. G. Bair paid Buffalo a hurried visit Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Edna Gayton, of Bradford, is guest of Miss Maud Thomas.

Mrs. O. Proudfoot and children are visiting Olean friends this week.

Moses Harris, came over from Austin last evening to visit his brother.

Mrs. Josiah Howard and daughter Dorothy are enjoying a visit to Atlantic City.

Carpenter Fetter is erecting a neat porch on John Kelley's Maple street residence.

Mr. Josiah Howard went to Hughesville yesterday to attend the funeral of an uncle.

Misses Mary and Mabel Hinkle, of Wilcox, Pa., are guests of Mrs. Lizzie Hinkle at this place.

W. G. Bair, the energetic photographer, has taken a number of views of the railroad wreck at Shippen.

Miss Genevieve Connors, of Belfast, N. Y., is visiting here, the guest of Misses Olive and Margaret Maloy.

The Misses McInnes, of Corry, who have been visiting old friends in Emporium, returned home on Monday.

Mrs. Harry Hemphill left last Saturday for Jefferson Hospital, Philadelphia, to undergo a serious operation.

Grover Smith came up from Sterling Run yesterday to show his father, J. E., how to conduct the banking business.

Miss Helen Blumle has returned to her home in Emporium after a pleasant visit among Renovo friends—News.

Hiram Moat, of Gibson, was a PRESS visitor yesterday, while transacting business in town. He carried away a receipt for the PRESS.

Mrs. Fred Linsell, *nee* Lena Cormya, and daughter of Wilcox, Pa, are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. A. M. Hamilton, at this place.

Mrs. Spencer accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Lena Thompson, of New York city. are guests of Mrs. Bryan and daughter, Miss Nina.

Mr. A. E. Andrews and bride returned from their wedding trip last week. Mr. Addrews can now be found at his old "sit" at the Junction tower.

Mrs. Paul Smith and child, of Punxsutawney, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Evans, Sixth street.

Miss Minnie Morse has been quite seriously ill for several days threatened with fever. Dr. Heilman is attending her and reports improvement.

Malcom Beaton, who resides on South Broad street, while a sleep fell or walked out of a second story window, a few nights ago. His back was injured.

Mr. Adam Nickler, Jr., and sister Margaret left Monday morning for St. Louis and returning will spend a week in Buffalo, visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Hoke, wife of Rev. Geo. M. Hoke, of New Cumberland, Pa., arrived in Emporium last Thursday to visit her sister, Mrs. T. B. Lloyd, and family.

Adams Express Agent, John D. Logan, returned last Saturday from Toronto, where he attended the Expressmen's Convention. He reports a pleasant visit.

Miss Nellie I. Huntley, of Driftwood, visited in Emporium last Thursday guest at the Wiley home, and attended the social hop at Keystone Park, Thursday evening.

Mrs. Wm. Howard, Miss Ada Hockley and her lady friend Miss Goslin, who have been visiting in Emporium for several weeks, guests of Hon. I. K. Hockley and wife, returned to Williamsport on Monday.

The PRESS was pleased to hear from our old friend, J. Will Kaye, who resides at Chelsia, Wis., enclosing a draft for the PRESS up to 1905. Mr. Kaye is manager of one of the lumber plants of C. B. Howard Company. His host of Emporium friends will be pleased to hear that he is prospering.

The social hop given at Keystone Park last Thursday evening was a very enjoyable occasion. This popular resort is becoming more popular, as our people appreciate the generosity of Mr. Josiah Howard, who fitted up the grounds and erected the covered pavilion. It is an ideal recreation park.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Schoonover and son Eddie, and Mr. McNurney, of Austin, also Mrs. Elizabeth Jabobs of Emporium, Pa., are gnests of Harry Jacobs and family, of Germania street, this week.....Mrs. Grant Wiley and two children, who have recently returned from an extended visit with friends at Williamsport aud Emporium are guests at the Schwarzenbach cottage at the Nine Mile this week.....Geo. W. Sykes is visiting friends at Keating Summit, Emporium, St. Marys and Sterling Run this week.—Galeton Dispatch.

Lost.

Between my residence and the post office, a fountain pen. The finder will confer a favor by returning it to me.

FRED JULIAN.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)
Washington, July 16th, 1904.

Editor Press:—

Whatever the President does, whether in this city, or out of it is read with interest by the vast number of people employed in the departments here, as well as population generally. While the work of the Government must go on without intermission, and while the heat of the city is at times intense, it is a pleasure to know that President Roosevelt is sleeping out of doors with his boys, or is taking a row on the Sound, crabbing or fishing, or sets a good example by chopping at the family woodpile, or is playing tennis, and perhaps receiving delegations of visitors from all points of the compass who want him to settle the affairs of the world, and do it at once by rule of thumb. Meanwhile he is preparing his speech to be delivered on the 27th inst., when he will be officially notified of his nomination.

It is denied that there is any politics in the recent strikes, or that any action the President may have taken has anything to do with current labor trubles. The fact that the packing honse magnates and their striking employes are willing to arbitrate their differences is proof that the trouble is non partisan. Nor is it at all probable, as has been stated, that the President has issued orders through the Department of Justice, that the injunction case against the beef packers must be taken up by the Supreme Court immediatety after convening for the October term. The President cannot issue such orders The Court is a coordinate branch of the Government, and attends to its business accordiing to its own rules, without pressure from any source. It is as independent of the Executive as the Executive is of it.

Prominent Republicans who have returned to Washington since the Chicago convention, express utmost satisfaction with the political attitude of the West. Senator Foraker of Ohio, who lives on Sixteenth street in this city, said yesterday that everythiug is calm, confident aud prosperous in the great middle western states. He says the sentiment is overwhelming for Roosevelt, and he predicts a large Republican majority in Indiana and Wisconsin. Senator Dick says: "I am unable to see how the Democratic party has even the ghost of a chance to win. One reason why there will be no Democratic vistory is the eminent success of the Adminstration of President Roosevelt, and the fact that people have not forgotten the last Democratic Administration."

The new Secretary of the Navy has a brother named Joy, who lives at Arbor Lodge, the home of the late Sterling J. Morton, Secretary of Agriculture under Cleveland. Mr. Joy Morton is naturally much rejoiced that his brother has a Cabinet position under a Republican President as renowned as is President Roosevelt. He has arranged to fetch a train load of eastern people to Nebraska city to attend a banquet which he will give to his brother Paul. The entertainment is booked for this evening, and the Secretary has left Washington to be present. One special train will run from Chicago and another from Omaha. Both Joy and Paul were raised on the home farm in Nebraska. It is sometimes the farmer boy who wins. Senator Fairbanks was an Ohio farmer's boy.

Nearing Completion.

Very silently and rapidly the crews of Italian laborers who have been grading the B. & S. roadbed from Driftwood to Sabula have vanished, this part of the new railroad building having been nearly completed. There is still however somewhat of a stretch east of Sabula that has not yet been dug nor graded only the surfuce having been cleared off.

Where the numerous streams cross the line of grades, temporary wooden culverts have been put in Afterwards the permanent structures will be built. Where the large streams cross the line, the creeks have been driven thickly with spiles.

The track laying, when it is going on, proceeds at the rate of about a mile a day. Below Medix Run the track is being rapidly ballasted and put into complete and permanent shape and by the 15th proximo the rails will be laid into Tyler. Hence the months will be comparatively few until the new railroad will be an accomplished fact in Bennett Branch Valley.—Ex.

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FRABLE—JOHNSON—At the home of the bride's parents, at Cameron, Pa., June 29th, 1904, by Rev. R. A. Robertson, Mr. Frank Johnson and Miss Claudie Frable, both of Cameron.

Administratrix's Notice.

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LETTERS testamentary on the estate of MISS MAY HOLBROOK, late of Emporium Borough, Cameron county, Pennsylvania deceased, have been granted to MRS. MINNIE H. FORBES, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment and those having claims or demands, will make known the same without delay.

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UNDERTAKING

Mrs. Peabody's Conscience

By DOROTHY E. LEONARD

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THE front gate fell to with a clang and Martha Moore turned her head and looked out of the window.

"Sakes alive, ma! If there ain't Mis' Peabody coming up the walk, and it's 'most five o'clock."

Mrs. Moore peered out furtively behind the curtain, then walked heavily into the entry and opened the door.

"Well, Louise Peabody, if this ain't an unexpected pleasure!" cried Mrs. Moore, in her deep voice, as her visitor toiled up the steps. "Dear me! You are all of a tremble. Nothing hasn't happened, has it?" the smile fading from her face, as she took the hard, thin hand extended to her.

"Oh, no! I guess I hurried so," panted the little woman. "The air's so bracing to-day, I felt as if I couldn't go slow. It's the ozone in it, so Fanny says," she added, as she followed her hostess into the sitting room.

Martha turned around and nodded cordially, but did not rise. "I guess you'll excuse me under the circumstances," laughed she, "my lap's pretty full."

Mrs. Peabody laid aside her wraps and sank into the nearest chair, her heart beating like a trip hammer. The table was covered with a profusion of dainty materials and half-finished garments; and, from where she sat, she could see that the work over which the girl was bending was of an elaborate description. She was sure now that the report she had heard that morning was true, and that Martha was going to be married to Harry Summers. As she thought of it, and of Harry's attentions to her own daughter Fanny, during the past year, her brain seemed to whirl. At last she was conscious that Mrs. Moore was addressing her.

"You didn't hear me, Mis' Peabody. Don't you want to see all we've got done?"

"Here take this seat by the window," said Martha, rising, "you can't see well over there."

By a great effort she mastered her feelings, and, sitting down by the window, silently examined the articles shown to her.

"Why this is real lace, Marthy," she said at last, in genuine surprise.

"Yes, there's to be a whole set trimmed with that pattern," put in the mother, proudly, "but yet I do think crochet is prettier and washes better, too. Marthy does do crochet wonderful!"

"So does Fanny!" said Mrs. Peabody flushing suddenly.

"Dear Fan!" said Martha, "tell her to come over Saturday and see my things. Wait, ma! don't show her the veil till I light the lamp. The light's all gone."

The veil would have seemed pretty to far more critical eyes than Mrs. Peabody's, but to the poor woman, overwhelmed with the petty cares of a poverty stricken life, it was a vision of beauty. It was impossible to imagine it on Martha's head; and Fanny's delicate beauty rose persistently before her eyes until Mrs. Moore broke the silence.

"Mr. Moore and I ain't never goin' to tell what we paid for that veil. Even Martha don't know."

"It used to be considered awful bad luck to show the wedding clothes," answered her guest, struggling in vain to suppress the jealousy which surged in her heart.

"Oh, we've got beyond such nonsense now," laughed Martha, as she began gathering up her treasures. Her plain, coarse face was flushed and triumphant. Mrs. Peabody could not endure to look at her. "I just know how she tried to get him from Fanny!" the poor woman thought to herself, "she who has everything in the world she wants, too."

At last it began to dawn on Mrs. Moore that her visitor was very silent and possibly bored.

"Are Mr. Peabody and the boys well?" she asked.

"Yes."

"And Fanny? We hear she's goin' to have the school next year, too."

"Oh, that's fine for her," said Martha carelessly.

Mrs. Peabody's heart beat fast, her brain was on fire. "I guess Fanny'll be havin' something else to do then beside teaching!" she said suggestively.

"Why, Louise, you don't say!" ejaculated Mrs. Moore.

"Do you mean she's keeping company?" asked Martha, peering shrewdly into the poor woman's face.

"Yes!" and for the first time in her life Mrs. Peabody had told a lie.

"I don't believe it!" cried the girl rudely.

"Marthy!" said her mother, reprovingly.

"Well, it's awful queer nobody's heard anything about it!"

Mrs. Peabody returned no answer. She fingered the veil absently for a few minutes, then rose and walked slowly to the door. "Well, good-night, I guess I'd better be goin'," said she, and stepped out bareheaded into the darkness. Martha ran after her and laid a restraining hand on her arm. "You'll catch your death of cold, Mis' Peabody! Don't mind what I said. Come back and get your things on, and pa'll drive you home."

"I don't see what took her so," said the girl after they had helped her, unresisting into the wagon, and gone back to the house.

"Oh, I guess it was the heat o' the room after walking so fast," returned her mother placidly, "but you did speak up mighty loud and sassy to her, Marthy, and mebbe that turned he head."

Poor Louise Peabody leaned back in the wagon beside Mr. Moore in silent despair. Above the certainty that Harry had deserted her own dear daughter, above her belief in Martha's perfidy, loomed the lie in all its hideousness. Mr. Moore's jokes in regard to the approaching nuptials, and his information that Harry Summers had bought out his uncle's grocery business and would settle down near them, fell upon unheeding ears. She roused at last to the consciousness that he was helping her out of the wagon, and, after a hasty good-night, with burning cheeks and a heart like lead Mrs. Peabody entered her home.

As the weeks passed by it was surprising to see how well Fanny bore up under Martha's engagement. In spite of the extra work of the spring term she was blooming, and fairly cheerful. She never mentioned Harry, nor did he come to the house; but as the days lengthened she would often go off alone for a ramble in the pine woods for an hour or two after school, coming back laden with violets, ferns and specimens of wild flowers, which she said were for her class in botany.

School closed on the 10th of June and the 11th was the day set for Martha's wedding. Mrs. Peabody had not intended to go, but Fanny insisted upon it. "It will look so queer if neither of us go, ma," she urged, "and as school only closed yesterday I don't feel like it. One of the boys can drive you over, and you must wear my muslin with the lavender stripes. It fits you all right, and you'll look fine in it." So the poor mother allowed herself to be persuaded and donned the dainty muslin, but a cold east wind having arisen, she threw her old black silk mantilla over her shoulders for the drive.

As Mrs. Peabody entered the house her last visit there came vividly before her mind; and, forgetting to lay aside her wrap, she hurried nervously into the parlor. The folding doors between the parlor and sitting room were thrown wide open, and both rooms were profusely decorated with June roses and branches of the fragrant syringa. A number of the guests had already arrived, and a cheerful buzz of conversation greeted her ears as she sank timidly upon the sofa beside the minister's wife.

The clock struck four and all eyes were turned expectantly toward the hall door—but there was no sign of the bridal party. Mrs. Peabody could hardly keep the tears back as she thought of Fanny; but she clinched her hands under the old mantilla and nerved herself to bear the worst. The clock ticked on loudly, but no one spoke. At last a sudden ring at the door startled them. Steps came heavily down the hall, and the door was opened.

"It's a boy with a note!" exclaimed a young girl who sat near the door.

The guests could endure the suspense no longer, but began to converse excitedly in loud whispers. Suddenly a swish of silken skirts was heard on the stairs, and a tall, white-veiled figure entered the room. All of the women trembled, and one screamed. Martha Moore threw back her veil and looked proudly around the room. Her large, plain face was almost as white as her bridal gown, but she held her head up and eyed her guests defiantly.

"Will you please to walk out and have some refreshments?" said she. "There ain't going to be any wedding this afternoon, but I guess you'll find the cake just as good."

As she turned to lead the way to the dining room her eye fell upon Mrs. Peabody. Instantly her whole manner changed. Her tall figure grew rigid, her eyes dilated, and stretching out one hand toward her she screamed, "Oh, you wicked, deceitful woman! How dare you to come here this afternoon? You've known this all along!"

Mrs. Peabody trembled, and clung to the friendly hand of the minister's wife. Her breath came in quick, frightened gasps. The minister stepped forward and laid his hand on Martha's arm.

"Miss Martha," he said, kindly but firmly, "you forget yourself!"

She shook him off impatiently. The tears were now streaming down her cheeks, but she did not heed them. "Here Fanny Peabody's been a plotting all along to run off with my young man the day of my wedding, just to shame me because I tried to get him away from her—just as if I hadn't a right. And then to send me a note and tell me they are leaving for Boston on the 3:45 train! I'll show 'em I don't care!" Her voice rose to a scream.

"Oh, Marthy! Marthy! Don't go on so!" sobbed her mother, pushing her way through the crowd to her daughter's side—but Martha heeded her not.

"And then for that deceitful old woman to dare to come here this afternoon!" she cried, almost pathetically, "when she's been in the plot all along, and had the cheek to tell me Fanny was keeping company—"

Mrs. Peabody started forward from her seat, "Oh, it wa'n't a lie! It wa'n't a lie!" she cried. "I told 'em, when I come out here 'most three months ago, that Fanny was keeping company, because I was so jealous that Martha'd got Harry away from her. But I didn't know 't was true. I thought it was a lie, and it seemed as if it would 'most kill me!" her face was radiant through her tears.

Martha turned coldly from her; and, controlling herself by a great effort again invited her guests to come out and partake of the wedding cake. She led the way, and the guests followed her one by one until Mrs. Peabody and the minister were left alone.

"I think you and I are not needed here [illegible]ght, Mrs. Peabody," said he, k[illegible] you had better let me drive e." And taking her hand he [illegible]rom the room, and helped her [illegible]bling, but happy and relieved, carriage.

ST. PETER AND THE GATE.

St. Peter stood guard at the golden-gate
With a solemn mien and air sedate,
When up to the top of the golden stair
A man and a woman ascending there,
Applied for admission. They came and stood
Before St. Peter, so great and good,
In hope the City of Peace to win,
And asked St. Peter to let them in.

The woman was tall and lank and thin,
With a scraggy bearlet upon her chin.
The man was short and thick and stout,
His stomach was built so it rounded out,
His face was pleasant, and all the while
He wore a kindly and genial smile,

The choirs in the distance the echoes woke,
And the man kept still while the woman spoke.
"Oh, thou who guardest the gate," said she,
"We two come hither, beseeching thee
To let us enter the heavenly land,
And play our harps with the Angel band,
Of me, St. Peter, there is no doubt
There's nothing from heaven to bar me out.

I've been to meeting three times a week,
And almost always I'd rise and speak.
"I've told the sinners about the day
When they'd repent of their evil way,
I've told my neighbors--I've told 'em all
'Bout Adam and Eve, and the Primal Fall.

I've shown them what they'd have to do
If they'd pass in the chosen few.
I've marked their path of duty clear—
Laid out the plan for their whole career,
I've talked and talked to 'em loud and long,
For my lungs are good and my voice is strong,

So, good St. Peter, you'll clearly see
The gate of heaven is open for me,
But my old man, I regret to say,
Hasn't walked in exactly the narrow way.
He smokes and he swears, and grave faults he's got,
And I don't know whether he'll pass or not.

He never would pray with earnest vim
Or go to revival, or join in a hymn,
So I have to leave him in sorrow there
While I, with the chosen united in prayer,
He ate what the pantry chanced to afford,
While I, in my purity sang to the Lord.

And if cucumbers were all he got
It's a chance if he merited them or not.
But oh! St. Peter, I love him so,
To the pleasure of Heaven please let him go.

I've done enough—a saint I've been.
Won't that atone? Can't you let him in?
My grim gospel I know 'tis so
That the unrepentant must fry below,
But isn't there some way you can see
That he may enter who's dear to me?

It's a narrow gospel which I pray,
But the chosen expect to find some way
Of coaxing or fooling or bribing you,
So that their relations can amble through.
And, say, St. Peter, it seems to me
That gate isn't kept as it ought to be;

You ought to stand right by the opening there
And never sit down in that easy chair,
And say, St. Peter, my sight is dimmed
But I don't like the way your whiskers are trimmed,
They're cut too wide, and outward toss;
They'd look better narrow, cut straight across.

Well, we must be going our crowns to win,
So open, St. Peter, and we'll pass in."
St. Peter sat quiet and stroked his staff,
But, spite of his office, he had to laugh,
Then said, with a fiery gleam in his eye:
"Who's tending this gate, you or I?"

And then he arose in his stature tall,
And pressed a button upon the wall
And said to the imp who answered the bell:
"Escort this female around to hell!"
The man stood still as a piece of stone—
Stood sadly, gloomy there alone,

A life-long, settled idea he had
That his wife was good and he was bad.
He thought that if the woman went down below
That he would certainly have to go—
That if she went to the region dim
There wasn't the ghost of a show for him.

Slowly he turned, by habit bent,
To follow wherever the woman went,
St. Peter standing on duty there,
Observed that the top of his head was bare.
He called the gentleman back and said,
"Friend how long have you been wed?"

"Thirty years" (with a weary sigh)—
And then he thoughtfully added,
"Why?"
St. Peter was silent, with head bent down
He raised his hat and scratched his crown,
Then, seeming a different thought to take,
Slowly, half to himself he spake:

"Thirty years with that woman there?
No wonder the man hasn't got any hair!
Swearing is wicked. Smoking's no good.
He smoked and swore—I should think he would!
Thirty years with that tongue so sharp!
Ho! Angel Gabriel! Give him a harp!

A jeweled harp with a golden string!
Good sir, pass in where the angels sing!
Gabriel gave him a seat alone—
One with the cushion—up near the throne!
Call up some angels to play their best,
Let him enjoy the music, and rest.

See that the finest ambrosia he feeds,
He's had about all the hell he needs,
It isn't just hardly the thing to do,
To roast him on earth and the future, too."
They gave him a harp with golden strings,
A glittering robe and a pair of wings,

And he said as he entered the Realms of Day,
"Well, this beats cucumbers, anyway."
And so the Scriptures had come to pass,
"The last shall be first and the first shall be last."

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Elihu Root, who has returned to the practice of law in New York city, has engaged a new office boy. Said Mr. Root: "Who carried off my paper basket?" "It was Mr. Reilly," said the boy. "Who is Mr. Reilly?" asked Mr. Root. "The janitor, sir." An hour later Mr. Root asked: "Jimmie, who opened the window?" "Mr. Lantz, sir." "And who is Mr. Lantz?" "The window cleaner, sir." Mr. Root wheeled about and looked at the boy. "See here, James," he said, "we call men by their first names here. We don't 'mister' them in this office. Do you understand?" "Yes, sir." In ten minutes the door opened and a small, shrill voice said: "There's a man here as wants to see you, Elihu."—Nashville Banner.

How His Wealth Grew.

Ascum—Have you seen anything of Jiggins lately?

Dr. Swellman—Yes, I just prescribed a trip to Europe for him this morning.

"Indeed? He's getting wealthy, isn't he?"

"Well, I can remember when I used to prescribe for him simply a dose of sodium bromide for the same complaint."—Philadelphia Press.

SAVED CHILD'S LIFE.

Remarkable Cure of Dropsy by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Sedgwick, Ark., July 11.—The case of W. S. Taylor's little son is looked upon by those interested in medical matters as one of the most wonderful on record. In this connection his father makes the following statement:

"Last September, my little boy had Dropsy; his feet and limbs were swollen to such an extent that he could not walk nor put his shoes on. The treatment that the doctors were giving him seemed to do him no good and two or three people said his days were short, even the doctors, two of the best in the country told me he would not get better. I stopped their medicine and at once sent for Dodd's Kidney Pills. I gave him three Pills a day, one morning, noon and night for eight days; at the end of the eighth day the swelling was all gone, but to give the medicine justice, I gave him eleven more Pills. I used thirty-five Pills in all and he was entirely cured. I consider your medicine saved my child's life. When the thirty-five Pills were given him, he could run, dance and sing, whereas before he was an invalid in his mother's arms from morning until night."

SUSPENDERS AND SUSPENSE

What Uncle Sam Needs the Former For as Stated by a Halting Speaker.

A certain congressman from a mountain district, says the New York Sun, is troubled with a weak, squeaky little voice, which sometimes fails in the midst of what might otherwise be an eloquent peroration.

Recently in addressing the house on a matter connected with tariff, he exclaimed:

"Why, tariffs are like a pair of suspenders, sometimes tight and sometimes loose; but Uncle Sam needs them just the same, to keep up his—"

Here the congressman's voice struck a high treble note, flared and stopped.

The house held its breath while he cleared his throat. The suspense, which seemed to last for fully a minute, was more painful to the auditors than to the orator, for everyone was wondering whether he would say "trousers" or "pants," and some were even hoping that he might say "pantaloons." Even "overalls" would be better than "pants," for "pants" is most unparliamentary.

But all fears were without foundation. He cleared his throat with the greatest care, and in a death-like stillness resumed his oration where he had dropped it: "to keep up his running expenses—"

The words which followed were lost forever in a gale of laughter.

People who sit in their houses and run the business of the world are now planning campaigns for Russia and for Japan. One is reminded of the story which Punch told during the Boer war of two parlor strategists who were walking down the Strand, quarreling with Gen. Buller's poor strategy in crossing the Tugela. Presently they tried to cross the street, and were run over by an omnibus.

When a friend tells you of his wrongs he wants sympathy and not an argument.—Atchison Globe.

A BACK LICK

Settled the Case with Her.

Many great discoveries have been made by accident and things better than gold mines have been found in this way, for example when even the accidental discovery that coffee is the real cause of one's sickness proves of most tremendous value because it locates the cause and the person has then a chance to get well.

"For over 25 years," says a Missouri woman, "I suffered untold agonies in my stomach and even the best physicians disagreed as to the cause without giving me any permanent help, different ones saying it was gastritis, indigestion, neuralgia, etc., so I dragged along from year to year, always half sick, until finally I gave up all hopes of ever being well again.

"When taking dinner with a friend one day she said she had a new drink which turned out to be Postum and I liked it so well I told her I thought I would stop coffee for awhile and use it, which I did.

"So for three months we had Postum in place of coffee without ever having one of my old spells but was always healthy and vigorous instead.

"Husband kept saying he was convinced it was coffee that caused those spells, but even then I wouldn't believe it until one day we got out of Postum and as we lived two miles from town I thought to use the coffee we had in the house.

"The result of a week's use of coffee again was that I had another terrible spell of agony and distress proving that it was the coffee and nothing else. That settled it and I said good bye to Coffee forever and since then Postum alone has been our hot mealtime drink.

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PARKER AND DAVIS.

They Are Nominated by the National Democratic Convention at St. Louis.

St. Louis, July 11.—Chief Judge Alton B. Parker, of the New York state court of appeals, was nominated at about 5:45 o'clock Saturday morning for president of the United States by the democratic national convention. But one roll call ensued and so decisive was the result of that one that contrary states began to call for recognition and the ballot finally resulted in a unanimous vote for the New York state man.

Following is the result of the ballot: Parker 658, Hearst 200, Cockrell 42, Olney 38, Wall 27, Gray 12, Williams 8, Pattison 4, McClellan 3, Miles 3, Towne 2, Coler 1, Gorman 2.

Judge Alton Brooks Parker.

When the convention reassembled in the afternoon the startling announcement was whispered around that a sensation was to be sprung upon the convention at the eleventh hour. It developed that Judge Parker had telegraphed his views upon finance in which he declared for the gold standard and suggesting that the convention should know this fact that it might be given an opportunity to select some one else for the party nominee should his view not be in accord with those of the delegates. After a short session a recess was taken until 8:30 p. m.

At the evening session John S. Williams, of Mississippi, said: "Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of the convention: All of us were very much surprised and excited this afternoon, to use no stronger words, at what purported to be copies of telegrams which had been sent by our nominee to Mr. Carmack and others in this city. I want to tell you that but one telegram has been received. A telegram has come from Mr. Parker to Mr. Sheehan which I shall read in a moment and it is so important that you should know what it is. After I have read it, I shall hand it to my friend, the governor of my state, Mr. Vardaman, and have him read it over again. When you shall have heard it, you will note that there is not in it one word about requiring or demanding, or asking, or requesting that anything should be placed in the democratic platform. You will also note that, if there is any error in it at all it is an error of judgment proceeding from a too sensitive spirit of honor."

Mr. Williams' words were heard in a silence so deep, so intense, that notwithstanding his weakened voice, his every word was distinctly audible in all parts of the hall. He then handed the message to Gov. Vardaman, who read the telegram

A long discussion followed, participated in by Senator Tillman, Mr. Bryan, Senator Daniel and others. It was finally voted to send the following telegram to Judge Parker:

"The platform adopted by this convention is silent on the question of the monetary standard, because it is not regarded by us as a possible issue in this campaign and only campaign issues were mentioned in the platform. Therefore, there is nothing in the views expressed by you in the telegram just received which would preclude a man entertaining them from accepting a nomination on said platform."

The telegram to Judge Parker was agreed upon at a conference of party leaders in the afternoon.

Hon. Henry G. Davis.

When the ballot for vice president was taken, ex-United States Senator Henry G. Davis, of West Virginia, received 652 votes and his nomination was made unanimous. The other candidates who received votes were ex-Senator Turner, of Washington, and Congressman Williams, of Illinois.

After passing the usual votes of thanks to the citizens of St. Louis the convention adjourned sine die at 1 o'clock Sunday morning.

Got an Ovation from His Neighbors.

Elkins, W. Va., July 11.—Fully 2,000 people gathered at the West Virginia Central railroad station here Sunday to greet ex-Senator Henry G. Davis, who arrived on his special car from the convention at St. Louis in the afternoon. When the train pulled in at the station the music of the Elkins band, which headed the throng, was drowned by the shout that went up when the candidate for vice president appeared on the platform of his car. Hon. T. W. Dailey and Senator Elkins each delivered an address of congratulation.

LOSS NEARLY $400,000.

Tornado of Fire Swept Over Warehouses and Docks at Duluth.

Duluth, Minn., July 16.—Four hundred thousand dollars' worth of property was destroyed Friday afternoon at the docks and warehouses of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha Railroad Co. and one man, a cook named George Smith, on the tug Abbott, was drowned in an attempt to make his escape from the craft as the flames swept over it from the docks.

The fire started in the northeast corner of the building and swept through the long sheds like a tornado, taking everything that stood in its path. In three minutes after the flames were discovered almost the entire length of the sheds was a fiery furnace. It was the most disastrous fire witnessed in Duluth in years and the most spectacular.

Losses entailed in the fire are estimated as follows by the officials of the interested companies:

George M. Smith, general agent, places the value of the contents of the freight shed at $200,000 or more, and the value of the shed itself at $50,000. Two hundred tons of package freight had been taken from the steamer Muncy just previous to the fire, which is not included in the estimate. Manager Inman, of the tug company, values the tugs, which he thinks will be an almost total loss, at $20,000 for the Inman; $15,000 for the Excelsior and $10,000 for the Abbott. In addition to this was the damage to ten Northwestern freight cars, amounting to $5,000.

Insurance on the dock property, warehouses and merchandise is covered by a blanket policy in possession of the headquarters of the company. Insurance on the tugs, which belong to the Great Lakes Towing Co., is placed by officials at Cleveland and the exact amount in neither case is known here, but it is said to be ample to cover the losses.

REVIEW OF TRADE.

The Most Unfavorable Factor in the Situation Is the Strike of the Packing House Employes.

New York, July 16.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says:

Trade conditions were gradually becoming more normal after the conclusion of political conventions, when a new disturbing factor appeared in the strike of packing house employes and allied trades. This enhanced prices of meats and added many thousands to the already large army of unemployed, weakening the purchasing power of the people still further. Aside from this unfavorable development, the news of the week contained much encouragement. Crop prospects improved and the general level of prices for farm products promises a large return to agriculturists, which means better business for all industries.

Confidence grows with the crops, retailers showing more disposition to prepare for the future as the season advances with no serious setback to the farms. A few manufacturing lines are more active, although there is still much idleness at the shops and mills, and pig iron output for July will be smaller than any recent month. Reports of increased plans for erection of buildings are not accompanied by noteworthy expansion in demand for structural material as yet.

Railway earnings for the first week of July are only .6 per cent. less than last year, and foreign trade at this port showed gains of $530,286 in exports and $1,906,724 in imports, as compared with the corresponding week a year ago.

Failures this week numbered 225 in the United States, against 213 last year, and 20 in Canada, compared with 16 a year ago.

BULLETS FOR THREE.

A Buffalo Man Kills His Wife and Daughter and Suicides.

Buffalo, N. Y., July 16.—One of the most shocking tragedies that ever occurred in this city came to light Friday when the dead bodies of Edgar T. Washburn, a member of the grain firm of Heathfield & Washburn on the board of trade, Washburn's wife and his daughter Gladys, 15 years old, were found in a bedroom of their home at 83 Putnam street, this city.

Mr. Washburn had shot and killed his wife and daughter and then turned the weapon upon his own head and killed himself. It is believed the deed was committed while Mr. Washburn was suffering from a temporary fit of insanity. He had written a letter to a relative recently, saying he was having troubles in business. As far as is known the members of the family had not had any trouble among themselves.

Washburn was an ardent Spiritualist.

Two Men Sentenced to Death.

Belmont, N. Y., July 16.—The whole story of the murder of John Van Gorder and his half-sister, Anna Farnham, at the Van Gorder homestead near Angelica on the night of May 3, was told on the witness stand Friday by Guiseppe Versacia, one of their slayers. Varsacia made a desperate effort, by putting the brunt of the crime on Antonio Giorgia, who was convicted Thursday, to secure a life sentence, but the jury found him guilty of murder in the first degree. While the jury was out Antonio Giorgia was sentenced to death and Versacia met the same fate.

Got a Divorce and Suicided.

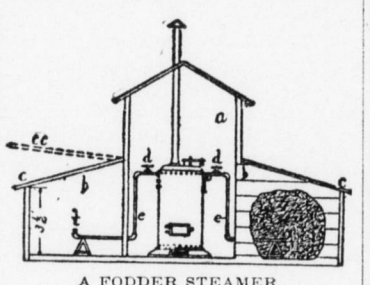
Chicago, July 16.—Clutching a decree of divorce, Mrs. Ella Swoboda was found dead on a sidewalk in South Park avenue yesterday. A broken vial which had contained poison was found in her bag. The woman was dressed in a silk gown of fashionable make. A picture hat covered with plumes lay crushed beneath her head and there was a diamond ring on her finger. The police believe the woman killed herself while insane over domestic troubles. The decree of divorce was granted Mrs. Swoboda on the ground of cruelty.

FODDER STEAMING OUTFIT.

The Arrangement Here Described Will Pay for Itself in Increased Yield from Cows.

I have for a number of years, even with a silo at hand, steamed hundreds of tons of shredded fodder. This I have fed not only in the dairy, but to hogs, sheep, fattening cattle, young stock, and to horses. It makes feed so much more palatable than the dry fodder that it pays for the small trouble and expense of treating the fodder, simply for the satisfaction given the stock. I can secure a greater gain of weight on fattening stock and a heavier flow of milk in the dairy with steamed fodder than I can with the best quality of shredded fodder dry, or of almost any of the ordinary hay. This is because cattle eat it with so much more relish that large amounts are consumed and the available nutrients are rendered more digestible.

There are a number of simple ways in which the fodder may be steamed, the main essential being to provide some means for producing live steam. The object is to steam the hay and never to cook or boil, or to water-soak it farther



A FODDER STEAMER.

than to restore the activity of its natural juciness. Any little feed cooker will do to which steam connection may be made. The pipe run from such a steam generator into a barrel, for instance, filled with shredded fodder, will accomplish the purpose and serve for a supply for from one to five head of stock. For the feeding of a dairy heard or a large number of stock such as arrangement as I have built has proved most satisfactory.

In the accompanying illustration is shown the essential outline of an outfit as I have it arranged. The central section a, is used to house the little boiler employed in generating the steam. This is built only large enough to hold the boiler and a reasonable supply of fuel. This has a door in the end entering upon fire box side of boiler. On the sides of this are built two bins, as shown at b. These are closed with hinged covers as shown at c, and elevated as at cc. These may be made from three to four feet high at the outer edge or any other height found most serviceable. The capacity should be regulated by the requirements of the feeder. Pipes are run as shown at e, having valves d, to regulate supply of steam from steamer to bins. Pipes are run into bins from one to two or three inches above floor of steaming bins, having an upward exit, as shown at f. Other arrangements may be made in the matter of laying the pipe, which may be run into and around center of bins, with holes bored in pipe to allow steam to escape at different points, thus securing possibly a better distribution. The arrangement as shown, however, has always given me satisfaction. These bins or boxes should be lined with heavy zinc, the sides and bottom as well as the lid, which should be so arranged about the edges as to make it steam proof. A heavy lining should be selected to prevent being easily punctured by the careless man in cleaning out the boxes with his fork.—Ohio Farmer.

CLOSE PLANTING OF TREES.

It Is a Common Practice, But One Which Inevitably Causes Loss Later On.

In the setting out of orchard trees this spring, the distance apart should be given more consideration than is usually given it. It has always been a general fault, at least in this country, to set the trees too near together. We have seen apple trees planted so close that by the time they were ten years old their branches interlocked and the foliage produced a semi-twilight below. We have never seen such an orchard loaded with fruit. That mistake was made generally 40 years ago. Since that time men have been coming to realize the fact that close planting is very detrimental to the producing of fruit. First the apple trees were planted a rod apart. Then the distance was increased to 20 feet and then to 25. Now our best orchardists are planting their small growers 30 feet apart and the large limbed trees 35 feet apart. Some planters are even putting their trees 40 feet apart each way, especially if they are of the larger growing varieties.

In the matter of pears some varieties should be set at least 30 feet apart, while straight growers may be set 20 and 25. Peaches are not generally large growing trees and will do well if set as close as 20 feet each way. Plums should have at least 15 feet, and some of the varieties should have 20 feet. Of course dwarf varieties of all kinds of fruit can be planted much closer than standards. It is a mistake to plant close with the intention of cutting out half of the trees. The cutting out is never done.—Farmers Review.

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Speaking of toads, with incidental reference to other salatory animal life, recalls a mot attributed to one of the justices of the supreme court, which has been giving the Washington gossips a good deal of amusement of late, says the New York Evening post. He was dining the other evening with the family of a distinguished ex-senator, who are noted for their extravagant advocacy of the vegetarian diet. Over the delicacies of the table, which included pretty nearly every form of edible plant life suited to the season, conversation turned upon the familiar theme; and the hostess, after trying in vain to convert her beef-reared guest by arguments based on the chemical constituents of various food, pleaded:

"But surely, Mr. Justice, you must admit that vegetarianism means strength and agility, when you remember that the rabbit, which feeds wholly on vegetables, can make such great leaps through the air from hiding place to hiding place."

"True, madam," answered the jurist, gravely, "but we must also remember that the minute creature for which naturalists claim the ability to jump more times its own length than any other, belongs to the class of pure carnivora."

Law Is Too Rigid.

A New Yorker who took legal advice on the subject has discovered he has no right to shoot a young man next door who is learning to play on the violin. It appears the unwritten law applies only to wind instruments.—Sioux City Journal.

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"Ah, I see," rejoined the philosophical person. "You are one of the monopolists we read so much about."—Stray Stories.

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Do not believe Piso's Cure for Consumption has an equal for coughs and colds.—J. F. Boyer, Trinity Springs, Ind., Feb. 15, 1900.

A square man does not need to be all corners.—Chicago Tribune.

If the prohibitionists should ever elect a president, whom could he appoint director of the mint?—Chicago Journal.

A fond mother may consider her son the flower of the family—and the neighbors may consider him a blooming idiot.—Chicago Daily News.

Another bank teller has confessed that a large shortage in his accounts is due to speculation. And it is encouraging to note that the newspapers refer to him as a thief instead of an embezzler.—Chicago Post.

There is no reason to doubt the statement of a woman that she was kissed by telepathy. We have wireless telegraphy, horseless carriages and dogless sausages; why shouldn't we have the lipless kisses?—Chicago Journal.

"What do you think of a man who would spend thousands upon thousands of dollars in politics?"

"I can't tell what I think of him," answered Senator Sorghum, "until I see whether he gets the office or not."—Washington Star.

Some of the Boston papers are making much of the fact that the daughter of a shoecutter of Brocton, Mass., married a California millionaire the other day. Well, he may be much better than some of the millionaires who are afloat and she may not rue it.—Philadelphia Ledger.

A Philadelphia chemist claims that he has discovered an electro-chemical process by which radium, which is now valued at $16,000,000 a pound, may be made dirt cheap for less than $500,000 a pound. This would be worse than the slump in copper.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

"You say this Mr. Madder Brown is wedded to his art?" said the connoisseur, as he gazed at the picture.

"That's what he says."

"It's awful," sighed the connoisseur, as he handed it back, "the terrible matrimonial trouble some men have to go through."—Stray Stories.

Brown's Advantage.

Greene—How Brown stutters! An awful affliction, isn't it?

Gray—Oh, I don't know. He can monopolize the conversation without having to say a great deal.—Boston Transcript.

Shore Bird Shooting.

The season of 1904 which opened July 1st in New York State—Long Island gunners report a record breaker. Of the forty odd varieties making Long Island an annual visitation, the flights arriving have been exceeding large and the end is not yet. Plover and yellow legs and all the other well known varieties are found in their usual haunts in exceedingly large numbers, hence the shooting along Great South Bay from Babylon through Patchogue and Moriches and both sides of Fire Island have been exceedingly good. Same is true on the Shinnecock Bay shooting grounds. Along both shores of Gardners and Peconic Bays, and while not in such a great number of varieties, on the north or Sound shore of the Island the shooting is exceedingly good its entire length. Of the near by grounds, Jamaica Bay with its innumerable islands and flats running well into the water, furnish to the old timer hunting ground that is not excelled and possibly not even equaled elsewhere on the Atlantic coast.

Most men would rather get the short end of an argument than keep quiet.—Chicago Daily News.

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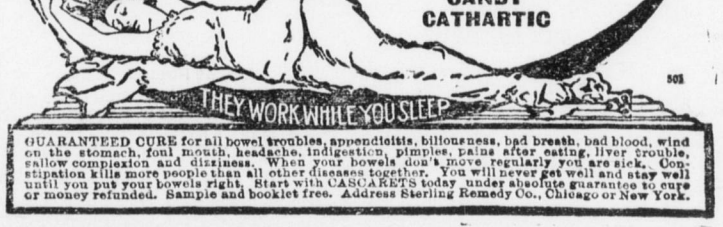

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Excursion Train Wrecked.

Last Sunday a serious wreck occurred as the train neared Portage Falls. The following from Bradford Star in the main, is correct:

The train was running through the village at a good rate of speed, when the locomotive and baggage care left the track and ran along the ties for about 600 feet.

The locomotive crashed into the sides of a tool house, wrecking it completely. The tender was thrown to the opposite side of the track.

The emergency brakes on the cars were automatically set, as soon as the locomotive became detached from the train and the cars were brought to such a sudden standstill that passengers were thrown forward in their seats and in the aisles with great force.

The most seriously injured person was Mrs. Harriet Coe, of No. 80 Summer street. She was walking toward the water tank for a drink when the cars stopped. Mrs. Coe is 80 years old, and had not sufficient strength to withstand the shock. She was thrown violently to the floor and rendered unconscious.

Constable William W. Tadder was standing in the aisle. He was talking to Constable and Mrs. Charles Spreter, and he was thrown with great violence against the seats ahead. He sustained injuries to his right arm, body and hip.

Mrs. E. F. Logan, of No. 18 Summer Street, had her spine injured. She did not feel the effects of it until she reached home. She is in a serious condition to day.

Mrs. M. Love, once a resident of Bradford, an Emporium woman, Mrs. John Hurst and Mrs. Charles Spreter were all either cut or bruised, but not seriously. Minor injuries were sustained by many people on the train.

Mrs. Coe is in a serious condition at the Bradford hospital. Her face and body were badly cut and bruised and owing to her great age the shock is a serious feature of her condition. She has not improved any since the wreck.

R. C. Dodson.

Ask the readers of this paper who are suffering with indigestion or dyspepsia to call on them at once and get a bottle of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. If you know the value of this remedy as we know it, you would not suffer another day. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is a thorough digestant and tissue building tonic as well. It is endorsed personally by hundreds of people whom it has cured of indigestion, dyspepsia, palpitation of the heart and stomach troubles generally. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat. It is pleasant, palatable and strengthening.

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Piles upon top of piles of people have the Piles, and DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures them. There are many different kinds of Piles, but if you get the genuine and original Witch Hazel Salve made by E. C. DeWitt & Co., of Chicago, a cure is certain. H. A. Tisdale, of Summerton, S. C., says, "I had piles 20 years and DeWitt's Salve cured me after everything else failed." Sold by R. C. Dodson.

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Night was her Terror.

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Brutally Tortured.

A case came to light that for persistent aud unmerciful torture has perhaps never been equaled. Joe Golobick of Colusa, Calif., writes. "For 15 years I endured insufferable pain from Rheumatism and nothing relieved me though I tried everything known. I came across Electric Bitters and it's the greatest medicine on earth for that trouble. A few bottles of it completely relieved and cured me." Just as good for Liver and Kidney troubles and general debility. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by L. Taggart, Druggist.

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THE COUNTY.

MASON HILL.

Splendid hay weather.

Mr. A. W. Mason was seen on our streets Sunday.

Raymond Russell, of Straight is visiting his grand-parents at this place.

"Met" Barr of Hix Run, passed over the hill on Saturday, enroute to Sterling Run.

Mr. Amberson Smith, of Castle Garden, transacted business at this place on Monday.

Mr. A. R. Baker, accompanied by Harry Marsh, paid Driftwood a visit on Saturday.

Mrs. Oran Jordan, of Huston Hill, called on some of her Mason Hill friends on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Saville McCracken, of Straights, Pa., are the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.M. Russell.

Harrison Lupro and son, of St. Marys, hearing the reputation of Mason Hill for huckleberries, came down expecting to be abundantly supplied with these delicacies, but were sadly disappointed and returned home with empty baskets.

SY ME'S.

FIRST FORK.

Raspberries (black caps) and huckle berries are plenty now.

Will Mahon has moved his family down to Mr. Bowen's, having rented his property at Costello.

J. M. Brooks has moved into one of Mr. Colcord's houses near the mill, so as to be handy to his work.

Dr. and Mrs. Colcord are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Marion Berfield, of Coudersport, a daughter of Mrs. Colcord.

N. Thileges and family have moved over from Galeton and are working for Mr. O'Brien, through haying and harvest.

Farmers are commencing haying, those who have been lucky enough to get their buckwheat in and hoeing done between showers.

Uncle Hugh Caldweil is suffering with the dropsy. He is the oldest man in town now, and perhaps in the county, being 86. His daughters, Mrs. Waters and Mrs. Summerson, of Kettle Creek, are visiting him. NUFF SED.

SINNAMAHONING.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Berfield, a son, July 6th.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Swartwood July 14th, a daughter.

mail from P. & E. trains and J. Henry Logue from B. S. F S. trains.

Fine weather for the past week and farmers have been busy haying.

Huckleberries are not very plenty this season on Karthaus mountain.

Sinnamrhoning has two mail carriers now. Mrs. Martha Belden carries the

Several parties are camping on the old camp ground in Grove Run, through the hot weather.

A wreck on the B. S. & S. road Thursday evening at this place. Several cars were off the track.

Miss Bessie Walker went to Williamsport hospital last Saturday, to be treated for catarrh of the stomach.

A party from Brookville are tenting near the Sinnamahoning House on the Island, for a few weeks and enjoying themselves hunting the festive groundhog and fishing.

Mr. Jessie Michaels, was called to Lock Haven very suddenly last week, on the account of the death of his brother Wm. H. Michaels, who was killed at Hyner. Deceased leaves a wife and five children.

Parties were out "gigging on Saturday night and killed a lot of fish and left them lay in the creek. It seems that they done it just for sport. Next time they had better stay at home and not violate the fish law or they will be looked after.

The Fulton Bros., have the outside painting done on the P. O. S. of A. building and it is a fine job and done in good shape. They will commence to paint and decorate the inside this week. All who want a first-class job done would do well to engage them to do the work.

Marriage bells were ringing at the home of the groom's parents, on Saturday evening, July 16th. Mr. E. M. C. Peasley, of this place, and Miss Pearl Moore of Potter Dale, Clinton county, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by 'Squire Vine Hanscom. A large number of friends were present and partook of a wedding supper and after some select music by the string band and wishing them the best of happiness all went home, wishing that joy go with them and that all their troubles be little ones. DEBSE.

July 20, 1904.

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A Continual Strain.

Many men and women are constantly subjected to what they commonly term "a continual strain" because of some financial or family trouble. It wears and distresses them both mentally and physically, affecting their nerves badly and bringing on liver and kidney ailments, with the attendant evils of constipation, loss of appetite, sleeplessness, low vitality and dispondency. They cannot, as a rule, get ride of this "continual strain," but they can remedy its health destroying effects by taking frequent doses of Green's August Flower. It tones up the liver, stimulates the kidneys, insures healthy bodily functions, gives vim and spirit to one's whole being, and eventually dispels the physical or mental distress caused by that "continual strain." Trial bottle of August Flower, 25c; regular size, 75. At all druggists.

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To err is human and the ability to hide it is divine.

Piles, Piles, Piles.

Samuel Mahannah, of Centreville, Pa., says: "I had been troubled for years with piles and must have spent $500 doctoring. The doctors said I had the worst case they ever saw. San-Cura Ointment stopped the pain and cured me in a short time." San-Cura Ointment, 25c and 50c. At all druggists. For sale by R. C. Dodson.

When trouble calls it usually finds a man at home.

A Serious Matter.

"The third dose of Thompson's Barosma made me feel like a different man. I suffered about a year with pain in back, side and groin. My hands, arms and side of face became numb; would wake up numb all over; have to get out of bed and go through gymnastic exercises to get sleep. I had decided to sell out my business but was cured by Thompson's Barosma. This was two years ago and I have been in perfect health ever since.—J. J. Borne, Titusville, Pa. For sale by R. C. Dodson.

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